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BIRTHS.

At her residence, North Willoughby, the wife of Robert Forsyth, Esq., of a son—both doing well.

On the 19th instant, at her residence, Miller's Point, the wife of Gordon Hyderman, solicitor, of a daughter.

On the 18th instant, at her residence, Sorrell-street, Parramatta, Mrs. Henry Mance, of a daughter.

On the 19th instant, at her residence, South Kingston, the wife of F. J. Barker, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

On the 7th instant, at the house of the father of the bride, by the Rev. James Adam, M.A., Roger, second son of Mr. Samuel Davis, plasterer, Orange, to Susannah, eldest daughter of Mr. James Glassen, innkeeper, Canowindra.

On Wednesday, the 16th instant, at Christ Church, by the Rev. Canon Vidal, Eugene, second son of the late Dr. Charles Lesouprede (dit Fattorini), to Pauline Henrietta, youngest daughter of Francis Cooper, Esq., of Willeroo, Lake George.

DEATHS.

On the 12th instant, at Banana, Queensland, in the 64th year of his age, Mr. John Crump, of Sandwich, Kent.

On the 16th instant, at the Wesleyan parsonage, Kiama, Miriam, infant daughter of Rev. Walkden and Miriam Brown.

On the 18th instant, at her residence, 163, Castlereagh-street, Elizabeth Frances, the beloved wife of T. E. Jones, aged 60 years. May her soul rest in peace.

On Friday, the 18th instant, at her residence, 215, Darlinghurst Road, Maria, relict of the late John Godden Colyer, surgeon, of this city, and eldest surviving daughter of the late Rev. Henry Usher, D.D., and niece of the late Archdeacon Usher, D.D., Diocese of Raphoe, Ireland, and niece of the late Admiral Sir Thomas Usher, K.C.B.

On Saturday morning, 19th instant, at his residence, Redfern, Thomas Sidney Smith, age 37, second son of W. Smith, 312, George-street. His end was peace.

On the 19th instant, at the residence of his parents, 5, Williams-terrace, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo, John Daniel, the beloved infant son of John Albert and Jane Ann Delany, aged 5 months and 4 days.

On the 19th instant, at his residence, Elizabeth-street South, Mr. Patrick M'Auliffe, aged 65 years.

On the 20th instant, at her father's residence, Sarah Connelly, eldest daughter of Richard Lossey, of Campbell-street, Sydney, leaving two orphan children to mourn their loss. Aged 40 years.

SHIPPING.

THE CLARENCE AND NEW ENGLAND STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS, from Commercial Wharf, foot of King-street.

For GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER, via NEWCASTLE. — The HELEN MACGREGOR, THIS NIGHT, at 9 o'clock.

Saloon and steerage passengers en route to the Gold and Tin Mines will find unrivalled accommodation in this vessel.

Cargo is now being received.

P. S. BUYERS, Pro. Manager.

THE C. AND R. R. S. N. CO.'S STEAMSHIPS.

To GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER, VIA NEWCASTLE, the AGNES IRVING, THIS NIGHT, Monday, at 9.

TO MACLEAY RIVER, VIA NEWCASTLE, and PORT MACQUARIE, the DIAMANTINA, THIS NIGHT, Monday, at 9.

To TAREE, MANNING RIVER, direct, the FIRE KING, THIS AFTERNOON, Monday, at 4.

Passengers to these districts are invited to inspect the very superior accommodation of this Company's Boats.

WM. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
Sussex-street.

HUNTER RIVER N. S. N. CO.—STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, &c.

On TUESDAY NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.

On THURSDAY MORNING, at 6, the MORPETH.

F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

Offices—foot of Market-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.

TO MELBOURNE.—City of Adelaide, to-morrow afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30. FARES: Saloon, at current rates; steerage, £1 10s.

TO AUCKLAND.—Victoria, Tuesday, 29th instant.

TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, and MORPETH.—Collaroy, to-night, Monday, at 11; and Coonanbara, Wednesday night, at 11. Goods for Martin's Wharf, Miller's Forest, and Paterson River, forwarded per Collaroy to-night.

TO BRISBANE. Lady Young, to-morrow afternoon, Tuesday, at 6.

TO MARYBOROUGH.—Egmont, Wednesday afternoon, at 5.

TO ROCKHAMPTON.—Balclutha, Wednesday afternoon, at 5.

TO CLEVELAND BAY, via PORT DENISON.—Boomerang, Tuesday, 29th instant.

CARGO is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.

SHIPPERS are requested to complete their shipments to Melbourne and Queensland BEFORE 3 O'CLOCK on day of sailing.

FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.
A. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, Sussex-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

The MELBOURNE STEAMSHIP COMPANY will despatch the steamship
MACEDON,
TO-MORROW, Tuesday, April 22nd,
at 12 noon.
and
YOU YANGS,
THURSDAY, 24th April,
at 12 noon.
THE SALOONS ARE AMIDSHIPS.
Freight at current rates.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE

The MELBOURNE STEAMSHIP COMPANY will despatch the steamship
YOU YANGS,
THIS DAY, Monday, April 21st,
at 6 o'clock p.m.;
FARES:

Saloon	10s.
Steerage	5s.

WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO LEVUKA, FIJI.—The auxiliary screw steamship
DUKE OF EDINBURGH, 400 tons,
Captain R. J. Skinner
(under contract to carry the Fijian Mails).
NOW FAST LOADING at MARKET WHARF, to SAIL TUESDAY MORNING, 22nd instant.
Unrivalled Saloon accommodation, with bedding and attendance.
For freight or passage apply to
E. VICKERY,
116, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO NEW ZEALAND.

Messrs. M'Meckan, Blackwood, and Co.'s line of steamers will be dispatched from MELBOURNE as follows:—
ALHAMBRA, 26th instant, via Bluff.
RANGITOTO, 1st May, via Hokitika.
Through tickets to and from all New Zealand ports issued by the undersigned.
For rates of passage, freight, and any information, apply to JOSEPH WARD and CO., Agents, 237, George-street.

STEAM TO HOBART TOWN.—Steamship CITY OF HOBART, from Grafton Wharf, on TUESDAY, 29th instant, at 12 NOON. Saloon, £6 6s. Return (available 4 MONTHS) £10 10s; steerage, £3 10s.
WILLIS, LLOYD, and CO.

STEAM TO THE ROPER RIVER, CALLING AT BRISBANE, TOWNSVILLE, AND CARDWELL, TO LAND AND RECEIVE PASSENGERS ONLY.
The splendid screw steamship
LORD ASHLEY, 500 tons,
Captain Bristow,
will be dispatched from Sydney, for the above ports, THIS DAY, at 4 p.m., from the Patent Slip Wharf.
Has unrivalled accommodation for passengers, and early application is necessary to secure berths.
For all further particulars apply to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO.,
Lloyd's-chambers.

STEAM TO BRISBANE, TOWNSVILLE, and CARDWELL.—The powerful steamship LORD ASHLEY, 500 tons, Captain Bristow, under charter to the South Australian Government, will leave for the ROPER RIVER and the above ports, THIS DAY, at 4 p.m., from the Patent Slip Wharf.
For passage only immediate application is necessary to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO.,
Lloyd's-chambers.

MANLY BEACH.—STEAMERS, THIS DAY, leaves Queen's Wharf, 10.15, 2.15, 5.30
Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 2.30
Manly Beach, 8.15, 12, 4.20.
Fare—Return tickets, 1s 6d; children, 1s.
THOMAS HESELTON.

WATSON'S BAY. — Steamer SIR CHARLES COWPER leaves

Circular Quay	10.15, 2.15, 4.15.
Woolloomooloo	10.30, 2.30
Watson's Bay	8, 11, 3.15, 5.

FOR LONDON.—The WINDSOR CASTLE will have immediate dispatch. Has two saloon cabins disengaged, and room for two intermediate passengers.
Apply on board, to Captain CARGILL; or to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
Wool received at Flood's.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—TO WOLLONGONG and KIAMA, TO-NIGHT, at 11.
MERIMBULA, EDEN, TATHRA, WEDNESDAY, 9 a.m.
SHOALHAVEN, &c., TUESDAY, 11 p.m.
ULLUDULLA and CLYDE, FRIDAY, 9.30 a.m.
BATEMAN'S BAY (for MORUYA), FRIDAY, 9.30 a.m.

PARRAMATTA STEAMERS, FROM KING-ST. AT HALF THE RAILWAY RATES.
FOR PARRAMATTA—7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.
FOR HUNTER'S HILL—7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5, 6.15, 10 p.m.
FROM PARRAMATTA—6.50, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.
FROM HUNTER'S HILL—8.15, 9, 10.15 a.m.; 12.15, 2.15, 4.15, 6.15, 7.15 p.m., at lowest reduced rates.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON.
The A1 Aberdeen clipper ship
MORAVIAN,
968 tons register, Henry Ayling, commander, will sail in a few days.
For freight or passage apply to Captain AYLING; or to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
Wool received at Talbot's Stores.

FOR LONDON
The ALEXANDER DUTHIE, Thomas Norie, commander, will be dispatched on or about the 30th April.
Intending passengers are invited to inspect the superior saloon accommodation of this vessel.
For freight or passage apply on board; or to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

FOR HONGKONG.—The well-known clipper barque CONSTANCE, 500 tons, Captain J. H. Gibbon, being under charter, will sail from NEWCASTLE about 25th instant.
Has room for light freight or passengers, for which immediate application is necessary to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO.,
Lloyd's-chambers.

FOR HONGKONG direct, the clipper ship
ONWARD,
606 tons register
Captain Thomas Stimson.
This regular trader will be despatched 24th April.
For frieght or passage apply to
SMITH, BROTHERS, and CO.

FOR SHANGHAI.—The magnificent A1 clipper ship FORWARD HO will be dispatched from Newcastle for the above port, on or about the 16th instant; has superior accommodation for either saloon or steerage passengers.
For passage apply to BINGLE and CO., Agents at Newcastle.

FOR NAVIGATOR ISLANDS direct.—The clipper Schooner NUKULAU, Wolsch, master, will be positively dispatched on the 25th instant. For freight, apply to BIFFIN and CLARKE, 147, Pitt-street.

ONLY VESSEL FOR MARYBOROUGH.—The new clipper schooner ALICE JANE, is now loading, and will sail on WEDNESDAY.
For freight or passage apply to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO., Lloyd's-chambers.

FIRST VESSEL FOR CLEVELAND BAY.—The new clipper schooner BLANCHE will commence loading TO-MORROW, at Patent Slip Wharf, and will sail in a few days.
For freight or passage apply to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO., Lloyd's-chambers.

FOR ROCKHAMPTON.—The clipper schooner CIRCE, Ellis, master, now fast loading at Campbell's Wharf, sails on TUESDAY.
For freight, &c., apply to PARBURY, LAMB, and CO.

FOR BOORAL WHARF, PORT STEPHENS.—The schooner MYALL, THIS (Monday) EVENING.
BROOMFIELD and WHITAKER,
Albion Wharf.

RETRIEVE, for SHOALHAVEN, TO-NIGHT, Cowper's Wharf, Woolloomooloo Bay.

BARQUE BERWICKSHIRE, from Adelaide.—Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES THIS MORNING for Circular Quay. All goods impeding the vessel's discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense.
BEILBY and SCOTT, Agents.

MARY GRANT, from Adelaide.—Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES THIS MORNING for Grafton Wharf. All goods impeding the vessel's discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense.
BEILBY and SCOTT, Agents.

SHIP BOTANIST FOR LONDON.—All CLAIMS and ACCOUNTS against this Vessel must be rendered in duplicate to the undersigned, by noon, on TUESDAY, the 22nd instant, or they will not be recognised.
SMITH, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents.

BARQUE MENDOZA, from London.—Consignees per above vessel are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once. All goods for which entries are not passed will be entered, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense. The ship will not be responsible for any damage to, or loss of, goods after same have been landed. Bills of Lading must be produced, and freight paid, before any goods can leave the wharf.
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO., Agents.

Captain HOWIESON will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his Crew without his written authority.

FOR FREIGHT or CHARTER, schooner PRINCE OF WALES, 238 tons register; also, ISABEL, 139 tons register.
E. LOWTHER, 117, Sussex-street.

CHARTERS.—The undersigned are prepared to Charter Vessels for San Francisco and thence to London or Liverpool.
GEO. A. LLOYD and CO., 362, George-street.

TONNAGE WANTED.
To load either in NEWCASTLE or SYDNEY, about 500 tons, for
SINGAPORE.
PARBURY, LAMB, and CO.

TONNAGE wanted.—Round Eastern Charters for several handy vessels. MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

WANTED, a VESSEL of 500 to 1000 tons burden, to load at Newcastle for New Caledonia.
MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE,
Gresham-street.

VESSEL FOR NORTHERN AUSTRALIA.—Wanted, to charter a SHIP, about six hundred tons. The employment would suit any larger vessel bound East. Apply
BEILBY and SCOTT.

SCHOONER ATALANTA for SALE, 56 tons register, carries 80 tons general cargo. Can be inspected at Circular Quay. M. METCALFE and CO., 9, Bridge-street.

FOR SALE.
SHIPS' BALLAST.
Ships' Ballast sold in any sized blocks, at Carragbheinea Point, Mossman's Bay.
Ships of any tonnage can LOAD ALONGSIDE.
Vessels can discharge Ballast on Mossman's Bay Wharf free of charge.

FOR SALE, TERRIGAL, ketch, now lying at Market Wharf. G. WELLS, Auctioneer, &c.

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CHURCH SOCIETY FOR THE DIOCESE OF SYDNEY.
The Annual MEETING of this Society will be held THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at 7.30 p.m., in St. James' Infant Schoolroom, Castlereagh-street.
The Lord BISHOP OF SYDNEY will preside.
WILLIAM M. COWPER, J. G. EWER, } Secretaries.

NEWTOWN WESLEYAN SABBATH SCHOOL.—Anniversary Tea and Public MEETING, THIS EVENING, at 7 o'clock sharp. The Revs. Messrs. Curnow, Chapman, Holmes, and others will address the meeting. Collection in aid of the School Fund. Select pieces by the children.

A PUBLIC MEETING of the LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY to be held THIS (Monday) EVENING, at half-past 7 o'clock. Report of operations to be rendered, and the Revs. J. G. Fraser, G. Sutherland, D. Moscop, J. P. Sunderland, and Oram, to speak.

ESTABLISHED 31 YEARS.—Dr. J. EMANUEL and SON, Dentists. Dental Diploma received from the Board of Examiners at the Hague, Holland, in the year 1836. Artificial Teeth, first-class work only, including the new atmospheric plate, without springs, where all the teeth are lost in the upper jaw, which adheres tightly to the roof at the first impression. We defy competition. 178, Pitt-street, second door from King-street, opposite Punch's Hotel. N.B.—Continental languages spoken.

PERSONS ADVERTISED FOR.

FRED. HIEM, from California,—Please CALL at 75, King-street.

LIONEL HENRY POTTINGER, formerly of Tenterfield, last heard of in Grafton about November last. Send your address to Mr. STEVENSON, Clarence River Examiner; or to ARTHUR CUBITT, 8, Bridge-street, Sydney. IMPORTANT.

MEETINGS.

L. O. L. DUKE OF EDINBURGH, No. 33.—Usual Monthly MEETING, THIS EVENING, at half-past 7, Oddfellows' Hall, Balmain.
By order of the W. M.

MASONIC.—District Grand Lodge, N.S.W., English Constitution.—The ANNUAL COMMUNICATION of the District Grand Lodge will be held at the Freemasons' Hall, York-street, THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at 7.30 prompt.
By order of the R.W., or
District Grand Master,
R. LEWORTHY,
District Grand Secretary.

GERMAN CLUB. — General MEETING, THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock. Balloting.

UNION CLUB.—NOTICE.—An Emergency MEETING of the Members will be held THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at 1.30 p.m., at which the attendance of every Member is particularly requested.
By order,
F. H. WILSON, Secretary.

SYDNEY HUNT CLUB.—A MEETING of Subscribers will be held at Tattersall's, THIS DAY, at 4 o'clock.
GEORGE LLOYD, Hon. Secretary.

INDUSTRIAL BENEFIT BUILDING SOCIETY.
NOTICE.—The fourth Annual General MEETING of the Members of this Society will be held at the Society's Offices, Park-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, April 23, at 8 p.m., to receive the report of the Board for the past year; to elect officers; and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
By order of the Board.
WILLIAM JARRETT, Secretary

NO. 18 BOYNE L. O. L. MEETS TO-NIGHT, Myrtle-st., at quarter to 8. CHAMBERS, W.M.

NO. 1 ROYAL BLACK KNIGHTS, N. S. W. Constitution.—Regular Monthly MEETING THIS EVENING, at 7.30, at Kent-street Chapel.
PHILIP J. NEWLAND, Recorder.

SYDNEY ROWING CLUB.—The third annual General MEETING will be held at the Oxford Hotel, on TUESDAY, the 22nd April, at 8 o'clock, to receive report and elect officers for ensuing year. Honorary members have the privilege of voting.
P. J. CLARK,
Hon. Secretary.

NO. 27, ROYAL WILLIAM L. O. L.—The Regular Monthly MEETING of this Lodge will be held in the Ebenezer School-room, Riley-street, THIS EVENING, 21st, at 7.30. By order of W.M. W. C. MOORE, Sec.

CABINET AND CHAIR MAKERS' SOCIETY.—A Special MEETING of the above will be held THIS EVENING, 21st instant, in the Temperance Hall, at 8 o'clock. Business:—Revision of the laws.

SCHOOL OF ARTS DEBATING CLUB.—Subject for debate THIS (Monday) EVENING, "Should members of Parliament be paid by the State?"
THOS. T. GRAY, Hon. Sec.

UNITED BUTCHERS' GRAND ANNUAL PICNIC.
The Committee will meet at the Wheat Sheaf Inn, THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock.
D. D. NORTON,
Hon. Secretary.

MEETINGS OF PUBLIC COMPANIES.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of the Proprietors will be held at the Banking-house, George-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 30th day of April, instant, at noon, to consider the Report of the Board of Directors, to be then made, and such other matters and things as may be then brought forward, in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board of Directors.
SHEPHERD SMITH,
General Manager.
Sydney, April 3, 1873.

SYDNEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.
A Quarterly General MEETING of Members will be held at the Exchange, THIS DAY, the 21st April, at 4 o'clock p.m. precisely, when will be for consideration, together with other matters—Suggestion for the alteration and amendment of the existing Insolvency Law.
J. E. EBSWORTH,
Sydney, 21st April, 1873. Secretary.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY.
A Half-yearly General MEETING of shareholders will be held at the Company's offices, THIS DAY the 21st instant, at 2 p.m., to receive the report of the directors for the half-year ending 31st March, 1873.
By order of the Board.
ALEXANDER THOMSON, Secretary.
Pitt and Hunter streets, 9th April.

SYDNEY MEAT-PRESERVING COMPANY (Limited).
An Adjourned Special General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will held, at the Chamber of Commerce, on THURSDAY next, the 24th instant, at 10 o'clock a.m., to take into consideration the position and prospects of the Company, at which shareholders are urgently invited to be present.
A. H. J. BAASS, Secretary.
Sydney, 18th April, 1873.

WOLCA COPPER MINING COMPANY (Limited).
The Second Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the office of the Company, 247, George-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 28th April, at 12.30 p.m., to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.
R. HALL, Secretary.

WARATAH COAL COMPANY (Incorporated by Act of Parliament).
NOTICE is hereby given, that the Nineteenth Half-yearly General MEETING of shareholders of this Company will be held at the head offices of the Company, Exchange-corner, Bridge-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 28th April current, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report for the half-year ending 31st March, 1873, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
By order of the Board of Directors.
D. N. JOUBERT,
Secretary.
Sydney, 16th April, 1873.

CRAIGEND GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited),
DUN DUN, NEAR TAMBAROORA.
The THIRD HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders will be held in the Company's Offices, 44, Hunter-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, 21st instant, at 4 o'clock p.m.
BUSINESS: To receive the Directors' Report and the Balance-sheet for the past Half-Year, and to Elect one Director, in the place of Mr. JOHN M'RAE, and two Auditors, in the place of Messrs. JOHN KEEP and GEORGE SUTHERLAND CAIRD—all of whom are eligible for re-election.
By order of the Board.
FRANK B. TREATT,
Manager.

THE FRENCHMAN'S COMPANY (Limited).
NOTICE is hereby given that the second half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd April current, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report for the half year ended 31st March; for the election of a Director in the room of George Curtis, Esq., who retires by lot, but is eligible for re-election; for the consideration of the advisability of carrying on the Company, or otherwise; and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, in terms of the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board.
J. C. H. BAASS,
Legal Manager.
No. 7, Gresham-street, Sydney, 1st April, 1873.

BOOLBOONDA COPPER MINING COMPANY (Limited).
The Second Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the office of the Company, 247, George-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 28th April, at 12 noon, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with Articles of Association.
R. HALL, Secretary.

ELSMORE TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited).
The adjourned Half-yearly General MEETING of this Company will be held at the Exchange, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 21st day of April instant, at 3 o'clock p.m.
By order of the Board.
G. A. RUSSELL, Manager.
Sydney, 8th April, 1873.

WARRI ALLUVIAL G. M. CO. (Limited).—A General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Offices, 309, George-street, on TUESDAY, 22nd instant, at 4.15 p.m., to consider the Deed of Settlement.
SHARWOOD and GILBERT, Managers.

THE BLACKMAN'S REEF GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited), OBERON.
A MEETING of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the offices of the undersigned, on MONDAY, the 28th April instant, to adopt the Deed of Settlement, and discuss such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
By order of the Board.
HENRY LOVETT and CO.,
Managers,
Greville's Rooms,
George-street, Sydney.

RESEARCH GOLD MINING CO., Hill End.
The Half-yearly MEETING will be held at the Offices of the Company, 359, George-street, THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at 4 p.m.
THOS. F. JACKSON,
Secretary.

GUYONG COPPER and GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
The FIRST half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders, will be held at the office, 247, George-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 30th April, at 4 p.m., to receive Director's Report and Balance Sheet, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting, in terms of the Deed of Settlement.
R. HALL, Manager.

SUGARLOAF TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited).
The adjourned Half-yearly and Extraordinary General MEETING of shareholders in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, 62, Margaret-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 22nd April instant, at 3.30 p.m.
GEORGE PILE, Jun.,
Manager.

GLEN INNES TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited).—The Adjourned Special General MEETING of the Shareholders to decide on dissolving and winding-up the Company will be held at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, the 21st April instant, at 4 p.m.
By order of the Board.
GEORGE RATTRAY,
Manager.

RANDWICK GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
The Shareholders are requested to attend a SPECIAL MEETING of the Company, at 4.30 p.m. on TUESDAY next, the 22nd instant, at Greville's Rooms, George-street, Sydney.
S. H. PEARCE, Secretary pro tem.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.
ELECTION OF AUDITOR.
As this election will take place on the 23rd instant, the undersigned would feel obliged if those members who intend to vote for him will forward their proxy papers to him prior to that date. HENRY PHILLIPS.

EDUCATIONAL.

CLASSICAL and COMMERCIAL SCHOOL, CALDER HOUSE, Redfern.—STUDIES will be RESUMED, MONDAY, 21st instant. J. DAVID SLY, LL.D., Principal.

MR. HARWOOD, R.A., Professor of Music, 242, Darlinghurst Road. Tuition resumed to-day.

MISS JOHNSON'S PREPARATORY SCHOOL for Young Gentlemen REOPENS 21st instant.

MR. MARSH'S PIANOFORTE LESSONS. Address for terms Mr. PALING'S Pianoforte Depot.

MISS LONG'S Ladies' School, Dora Cottage, Curtis Road, Balmain.—Duties resumed THIS DAY.

MR. WATSON, Royal Academy of Music, has resumed tuition. 545, Crown-st., Surry Hills

MR. WATSON, R.A., Composer of "Silent Grief," "Naida Galop," visits Double Bay, South Head Newtown, Petersham, Glebe, Balmain, Woollahra, twice a week. Address, 545, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

MR. CANE'S SCHOOL.—
Duties Resumed
THIS DAY.
Stanley-street.

MISS SOMMERVILLE'S ESTABLISHMENT for the education of Young Ladies, Louisa-terrace, 226, Palmer-street.—Required, an experienced TEACHER of MUSIC (Protestant preferred). Call between the hours 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Wednesday, April 23.

PADDINGTON HOUSE SCHOOL reopens on MONDAY, April 21. G. H. STANLEY, LL.D.

RUNNYMEDE, Ladies' School, Point Piper Road, Woollahra, will reopen MONDAY next.

SYDNEY SCHOOL OF DESIGN.
The School will be CLOSED during the Exhibition week.
T. HODGSON.

THE Misses WALKER will resume their School duties on MONDAY, 21st instant, 94, Bathurst-street.

THE MISSES GILLAM, 157, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo. School duties resumed, Monday, 21st inst.

THE MISSES JOHNSON, Crown Lodge, Crown-st., Surry Hills. School duties resumed 21st instant.

THE KING'S SCHOOL, PARRAMATTA.
This School will reopen on MONDAY, April 21st.
GEO. F. MACARTHUR,
Head Master.

THE MISSES GARRETT, Newtown, will receive their Pupils on MONDAY, the 21st instant, at RETREAT COTTAGE (adjoining their former residence), to which they have made considerable additions, including a large schoolroom. The school will be conducted on the same system as formerly, with the assistance of the same Professors and Masters.

THE NEW SCHOOL.
1867.
The WINTER TERM commences THIS DAY, April 21, at 9.30 a.m.
W. J. STEPHENS, M.A.,
Principal.
Late Fellow and Tutor of Queen's Coll., Oxford, and First Head Master of the Sydney Grammar School.
(First Class, Oxford, 1852.)

WOODBINE COTTAGE, Glebe Heights, BOARDING and DAY SCHOOL, for Ladies, conducted by Mrs. and Miss GRAY.

Day Pupils, English and Elementary Drawing, per quarter	£1	1	0
Music	1	1	0
French	1	1	0
Dancing	1	1	0

Quarter from date of entrance. Vacancies for Boarders. Private Lessons in accomplishments.
Dancing Class for Juveniles, every WEDNESDAY, at 4 p.m.

SINGING CLASS, School of Arts. — Ladies and gentlemen wishing to join a select class, to meet at 7 o'clock, are requested to attend THIS EVENING.
C. CHIZLETT, Teacher.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB.
SETTLING NIGHT for Randwick Autumn Meeting, at the Club Room, Tattersall's, THIS EVENING, Monday, April 21st. Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock.
JAMES HERALD, Secretary.

THE UNDERSIGNED are Manufacturers of every description of SADDLES, SADDLERY, and HARNESS.
MYERS and SOLOMON,
542 and 544, George-street.

THE SYDNEY MEAT-PRESERVING COMPANY (Limited).
NOTICE is hereby given, that Mr. A. H. J. BAASS has been appointed Secretary to the Company.
JOHN LACKEY, Chairman.
Sydney, April 17, 1873.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
WEDNESDAY, the 23rd of April, will be observed as a Public HOLIDAY by the Butchers of Sydney, when all Slaughter Houses and respectable Butchers' Shops will be CLOSED on that day.

MORT AND CO.,
CIRCULAR QUAY, SYDNEY,
WOOL BROKERS,
LIVE STOCK AND STATION AGENTS,
SHEEP AND CATTLE SALESMEN.
LIBERAL ADVANCES on WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, TALLOW, HIDES, LEATHER, TIN, and other MINERAL ORES, and any other Colonial Produce consigned to them for Sale in Sydney, or for Shipment to their agents, Messrs. W. MORT and CO., London.

MONTEITH'S FAMILY HOTEL
Coogee Bay.
W. MONTEITH has much pleasure in informing the gentry of Sydney and surroundings that he has leased that large house at Coogee Bay lately occupied by Dr. Read, and has opened it as a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.
The place is noted for its salubrity, and parties honouring it with a visit may rely upon receiving the attention and comfort of their own homes. The rooms are large and lofty; the balcony is wide and well sheltered, from which may be obtained a splendid panoramic view of land and water.
Frequent 'bus communication with Sydney makes it easy of access in all weathers, as passengers are set down at the door.
The TABLE will at all times receive the supervision of the Proprietor, who, with the services of an experienced cook, cannot fail to render the dinners, &c., a perfect success.
The WINES, SPIRITS, BEER, &c., are selected from the best-known brands, and will be found choice and well matured.
W. MONTEITH, in soliciting patronage, begs leave to state that no effort of his shall be spared in making this a fashionable and favourite resort.
Prices will be strictly moderate.
Suites of apartments for wedding parties.
Handsome dining-room for clubs. Croquet lawn. Billiards, &c. Stabling, &c.

STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY No. 2. A SALE of the Right to advance of £300 will take place on TUESDAY next, 22nd instant, at 9 p.m.
THOMAS MILLER, Secretary.

STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY, No. 1. —A BALLOT will take place on FRIDAY EVENING, 25th instant, at 7.30 p.m. Members in arrears are reminded to pay up prior to the same, otherwise they will not participate.
W. J. CLARKE, Secretary.

ALLIANCE INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY.—MONDAY next being Easter Monday, this office will be closed. Subscriptions will be received on MONDAY, the 21st instant, between the hours of 4 and 5 p.m.
By order.
J. R. TREEVE, Secretary.
Mort's-buildings, Pitt-street, April 9, 1873.

MESSRS. CLARKE AND COMPANY
86 and 88, Elizabeth-street,
MELBOURNE,
STOCK and SHARE BROKERS, &c.
The oldest firm in Victoria.

Sandhurst Agent	R. H. CLARKE.
Castlemaine Agent	C. E. CLARKE.

Orders for purchases or sales of shares, by letter or telegraph, promptly attended to.

NOTICE.—In the Estate of the late Mr. ROBERT ROBINSON, of Colyton, Butcher, all persons indebted are requested to pay to the Trustees within fourteen days from this date. All ACCOUNTS due by the above deceased will be settled by the Trustees promptly.
WM. F. EMERT, Esq. THOS. MEACHER, Esq. } Trustees.
Colyton, 21st April, 1873.

RAWORTH'S ART UNION.—THE DRAWING will take place on MONDAY, 28th instant. A few tickets for disposal. PICTURES ON VIEW at 155, Castlereagh-street North.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.
In the Will of WILLIAM ANDREWS, late of Phillip-street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Shipowner, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given, that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof, application will be made to this Honorable Court, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed WILLIAM ANDREWS, deceased, may be granted to WILLIAM ANDREWS, of Lower Fort-street, Sydney, aforesaid, Shipowner, son of the deceased, and sole Executor named in and appointed by the said Will.
Dated this 19th day of April, A.D. 1873.
FITZHARDINGE and SON, Proctors for the said Executor, 107, King-street East, Sydney.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by an Indenture bearing date the eighteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and made between MATTHEW JOHN CLARK, of Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, grocer (trading as M. J. Clark and Co.), of the first part; THOMAS BUCKLAND, of Sydney, aforesaid, merchant, and HENRY PRIOR PALSER, of the same place, grocer, Trustees for the purposes therein mentioned, of the second part; and the several persons and bodies corporate creditors of the said Matthew John Clark, and who, so far as he could set forth the same, were named in the first schedule thereto of the third part; the said Matthew John Clark assigned all his personal estate, credits, and effects, unto the said trustees, their executors, administrators, and assigns upon certain trusts for the benefit of the said creditors of the said Matthew John Clark. And further, that such deed is now lying at the office of Mr. JAMES HART, number seventy-seven, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, for inspection and execution.
Dated this eighteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.
THOS. BUCKLAND.
H. P. PALSER.
Signed by the above-named Thomas Buckland and Henry Prior Palser, in the presence of
Gerard Phillips, J.P.

L. KAVANAGH,
Wholesale and Retail Grocer,
639, George-street South,
Sydney.
N.B.—No connection with any other parties in Sydney bearing a similar name.

TO BUILDERS.—The work required in repairs to Villa at Ryde is withdrawn from competition for the present.
A. BOND, Architect, 473, Pitt-street, South.

LOST AND FOUND.

DROPPED, accidentally, from a window, in Wynyard-street, a Gold RING, with cornelian stones. Finder rewarded by bringing it to 1, Wynyard-square.

LOST, Savings' Bank BOOK, No. 5789. Please return to Mrs. Watkins, 580, Elizabeth-street.

LOST, a Lamp SOCKET. Apply A. J. WATT and CO., Chemist, George-street.

LOST, COCKATOO, blind one eye. Finder rewarded. Clontarf Cottage. Adolphus-street, Balmain.

LOST, on Saturday evening, between Christ Church and Newtown, in No. 94 Newtown 'bus, two £1 NOTES, money of a Sick Fund. REWARD given at Mr. YEEND'S, George and Goulburn streets.

LOST (supposed in an Omnibus), between King-st. and Elizabeth street, Paddington), a small "Forget Me Not" BROOCH, on a velvet. 10s reward will be paid on taking it to Mr. HAFER, Jeweller, George-street.

LOST, CHEQUE for £10 16s 4d, drawn in favour of Mort's Dock and Co., by F. Horn, on Bank of New South Wales, Goulburn. Reward if left at 101, Hay-street. Payment stopped.

LOST, between the Balmain Steamers' Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, and York-street, a lady's Green Silk UMBRELLA. The finder will be rewarded by sending it to Mr. CRANNA, 18, Barrack-street.

10s REWARD.—LOST, on Easter Monday, a bunch of KEYS on plated ring. 101, Woolloomooloo-st.

FOUND, a Dark Brown MARE. 29, Edward-street. Owner can have him by paying expenses.

STRAYED, a Black MARE, branded CP8 under near shoulder. The owner can have her by paying expenses. If not claimed, she will be sold for the above.
T. M'SHEHAN, Happy Valley, Cook's River.
April 19th.

STRAYED, a Light Skye TERRIER Slut; no tail. Reward at Police Office Hotel, York-street.

THE PUBLIC are cautioned against negotiating a CHEQUE drawn by Mr. O. TURNER, on Australian Joint Stock Bank, Goulburn, for £9 12s, the same having been lost. The finder will be good enough to return it to the City Bank, Sydney, for the owner. Payment stopped.

THE CABMAN who drove a Lady and Gentleman to Mr. STARKEY'S, Phillip-street, will please return the BAG left in his cab.

JOHN USHER, Jun., Mining Engineer (late of the Mining and Geological Survey of Victoria), Vickery's-buildings, Pitt-street, Sydney.

PUBLICATIONS.

THE PRESCOTTS OF PAMPHILLON.
See Sydney Mail.

A NEW TALE, by the Authoress of "Dorothy Fox."
See Sydney Mail.

THE PRESCOTTS OF PAMPHILLON.
See Sydney Mail.

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THE NEW ILLUSTRATED MELBOURNE PAPER,
THE AUSTRALASIAN SKETCHER
Price Sixpence each.
To be had of GORDON and GOTCH, and all Booksellers.

VOLUNTEER NOTICES.

VOLUNTEER FORCE.
Brigade Office, Sydney,
18th April, 1873.
BRIGADE ORDER No. 66.
A GUARD OF HONOUR, consisting of a Captain, 2 Subalterns, 5 sergeants, and 100 rank and file, Suburban Battalion Volunteer Rifles, with the Volunteer Brigade Band, will attend at the Exhibition Building, at 11.30 a.m., on TUESDAY, the 22nd instant, to receive his Excellency the Governor, on the occasion of the opening of the Metropolitan Intercolonial Exhibition.
By command.
THOS. BAYNES, Captain,
Acting Major of Brigade.

2 CO.—NO DRILL. Non-com. Officers to meet at Volunteer Club, 7.45. C. A. WILSON, Captain.

5 CO. V. R.—Company DRILL TO-NIGHT. Hyde Park, 7.30 sharp. A. O. MORIARTY, Captain.

6 CO.—Intercolonial PRACTICE at half-past 2 TO-DAY. DRILL at half-past 7.
J. H. MORRIS,
Lieutenant.

SUBURBAN BATTALION V. RIFLES. — A GUARD OF HONOUR of 5 sergeants and 100 rank and file will parade at Hyde Park, on TUESDAY next, at 10.30 a.m.
Officers commanding companies will be held responsible for the attendance of 1 sergeant and 15 rank and file of their respective companies.
Brigade Band to attend.
By order,
JAMES WILSON, Lieut.,
Adj. Sub. Batt. V. R.

NAVAL BRIGADE.—No. 3 Company to meet for Rifle DRILL, THIS (Monday) EVENING, at half-past 7 sharp.
Q. L. DELOITTE, Lieutenant.

METROPOLITAN INTERCOLONIAL EXHIBITION.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
TRIENNIAL METROPOLITAN INTERCOLONIAL EXHIBITION,
1873.
The EXHIBITION will be OPENED officially at noon on
TUESDAY, 22nd instant.

PROGRAMME OF OPENING CEREMONIAL.
Holders of Ceremonial tickets will assemble in the Exhibition Building at half-past 11 a.m.
The Vice-Presidents, Members of the Council and of the various Committees of the Agricultural Society will assemble in the lobby, at the main (southern) entrance of the building, at 11.45, there to await the arrival of his Excellency the GOVERNOR and suite, and conduct him to his seat on the dais. On His Excellency the Governor entering the building the Royal Standard will be hoisted and the National Anthem played and sung by the whole of the artistes engaged for the musical festivals until the Governor has taken his seat on the dais. On His Excellency declaring the Exhibition to be opened, a salute will be fired on grounds adjoining the Park.
THE INAUGURAL ODE, written for the occasion, by Mr. CHARLES BADHAM, and set to music by Mr. Charles Lascelles, will be sung, as under, viz.,
Recitative, "Sons of our Lovely Southern Land," Mr. HARRY ACKLAND
CHORUS, "Queen of Nations yet to be."
Duo, "Lady throned on Golden Rocks," Misses Wiseman and Lambert
GRAND FINALE CHORUS
Full Band accompaniment.
N.B.—All holders of Ceremonial tickets are requested to attend in official or evening costume.

ALL MEMBERS of the Society will be admitted at 10 a.m. on the opening day, on presentation of member's ticket.

*** Members and holders of ceremonial tickets will have the privilege of introducing ladies at the hours appointed above on payment of the usual entrance fee, ONE SHILLING. The galleries being specially reserved for the purpose.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF N. S. WALES.—ALL EXHIBITS MUST be in the Building before NOON, THIS DAY.

NOTICE for Carriages, Omnibuses, &c.
All vehicles to drive through CASTLEREAGH-STREET from Devonshire-street, and out through BELVOIR-STREET.

ADMISSION through MAIN GATES in Castlereagh-street ONLY.

PUBLIC ADMITTED at 12.30 p.m.
ONE SHILLING,
DAY OR NIGHT.

NO PASS TICKETS ISSUED
JULES JOUBERT,
Secretary.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S BALL.
EXHIBITION BUILDING.
FRIDAY, May 9.
Under the Patronage of his Excellency Sir HERCULES G. R. ROBINSON, K.C.M.G.; the Hon. Lady ROBINSON, and suite; the Vice-Presidents and Members of Council of the Agricultural Society of New South Wales, &c., &c.
N.B.—A MEETING of the Committee will be held at the Secretary's Office, Exhibition Building, at 4 p.m., MONDAY, the 21st instant.
JULES JOUBERT, Hon. Secretary.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
THE JUDGES IN EACH SECTION, AGRICULTURAL AND NON-AGRICULTURAL are requested to be at the EXHIBITION-BUILDING, PRINCE ALFRED PARK, THIS MORNING, at 10 O'CLOCK.
JULES JOUBERT, Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS.

UNMISTAKABLE Bargains in Fancy Goods, Work-boxes, Desks, Albums, and Toys. Ellis, 230, Pitt-st.

SPECTACLES, fine steel frames, with crystal lenses, 3s 6d, 4s 6d, 5s 6d pair. Ellis, 230, Pitt-st., op. Farmer's.

RACING CLOTH—wanted to buy; roulette colours. JOHN CLARKE, Bonnett's, 67, King-street.

EXHIBITION!—Small STEAM ENGINE and Boiler, at W. DOUGLASS'S, 164, Pitt-street.

PORTABLE CHEST of DRAWERS wanted; second-hand. Address, stating price, M. M., Herald.

PHOTOGRAPHIC CAMERA, &c., wanted to purchase. Address P. C., Herald Office.

OLD LEAD wanted, in any quantity. John Keep, Barrack-street.

TO CARPENTERS, Cabinet or Chair Makers.—For SALE, Saw BENCH, working order. 39, Crown-st.

WANTED, a good second-hand Mortice and Tenoning Machine. G. W. Logan, Albert-street, Redfern.

WANTED, stock LOGS, in any quantity, at Robertson's coach factory, Pitt-street South.

WANTED, to buy 9 Trucks of Wood, 4 tons 10 cwt. each. R. Law, brickmaker, 11, Petersham Station.

WANTED, C. D. V. LENS and CAMERA, cheap. Ross or Dalmeyer preferred. R. D., Herald.

WANTED to buy second-hand BILLIARD TABLE. Mr. Armstrong's, corner Market and Clarence streets.

WANTED, to purchase a small HOUSE, 4 rooms and kitchen; quarter-hour's walk from city; under £300. Address G. S., Mr. Palmer, 27, Hunter-street.

WANTED known, J. Ellis, maker of steam engines and boilers, horse-power saw spindles, sausage-machines and fillers, all sizes, and repairs all kinds of machinery. Works—Greek-street, off Bay-street, Glebe.

BOROUGH COUNCIL NOTICES.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the 164th section of the Municipalities Act of 1867, an ASSESSMENT has been made on all ratable property within this Borough, and a rate of One Shilling in the £ for general purposes, likewise Fourpence in the £ for general lighting purposes, levied on said assessment, for the current municipal year 1873-4; also, that the Rate Books are now open to the inspection of all parties interested, at the Council Chambers; also, that a COURT OF APPEAL will be held at the Council Chambers, on TUESDAY, 6th May, at 10 a.m., at which time appellants may attend, on first giving seven days' notice in writing.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesdays and Saturdays.

JONATHAN WILEY,
Council Clerk.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE BOROUGH OF NEWTOWN, from 6th August, 1872, to the 11th December, 1872.

REVENUE.

1872—December 11.		
To Government endowment		£423 11 0
Government grant towards cost of widening the Enmore Road		300 0 0
Cash subscriptions for corporate works—		
Per Mr. H. Knight ..	£80 5 0	
Per Mr. Bedford ..	15 0 0	
Per Mr. Graham ..	130 6 0	
		225 11 0
Fines per Central Police Court ..		2 15 0
Rent of hall, &c.		1 10 0
Building fees ..		1 0 0
Rates Enmore Ward ..	£118 19 0	
Ditto Kingston Ward ..	52 6 0	
Ditto O'Connell Ward ..	88 12 0	
		259 17 0
Balance due to bank		773 19 11
		£1988 3 11

EXPENDITURE.

1872—August 6.		
By balance due to Bank		£739 17 1
Improvements:		
Enmore Ward	£229 19 0	
Ditto lighting	44 5 0	
		274 4 0
Kingston Ward ..	110 7 0	
Ditto lighting	9 0 0	
		119 7 0
O'Connell Ward ..	69 8 0	
Ditto lighting	13 10 0	
		82 18 0
General expenses		113 7 0
Library, books, papers, &c		8 10 10
Purchase of land to widen Enmore Road..		650 0 0
		£1988 3 11

Revenue and expenditure of the Borough of Newtown from 12th December, 1872, to 3rd February, 1873.

REVENUE.

1873—February 3.		
To fines per Central Police Court		£2 11 3
Rent of hall, &c.		4 10 0
Building fees		0 5 0
Cash subscriptions for corporate works:		
Per Messrs. Goodsell and Cozens	£138 5 0	
Per Mr. Bedford ..	90 0 0	
		228 5 0
Rates, Enmore Ward ..	81 10 0	
Ditto, Kingston Ward ..	69 17 6	
Ditto, O'Connell Ward ..	65 12 0	
		216 19 6
Balance due to bank		601 1 4
		£1053 12 1

EXPENDITURE.

1872—December 12.		
By balance due to bank		£773 19 11
Improvements:		
Enmore Ward		83 0 0
Kingston Ward		89 19 11
O'Connell Ward		17 12 6
General expenses		83 18 11
Library, books, papers, &c.		5 0 10
		£1053 12 1

I certify the above account to be correct, and to correspond with the books of account, vouchers, or other documents in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Newtown.

(Signed) W. BAILEY, Mayor.

We certify that all the books of account and vouchers, or other documents in support thereof, in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Newtown, have been exhibited to us; and that the foregoing statements correspond with such books of account and vouchers, or other documents; and that the above account is correct.

W. H. TAYLOR, } Auditors.
W. A. PHILLIPS, }
ROBERT N. BANKS, Council Clerk.

Newtown, 18th April, 1873.

DRAPERY HABERDASHERY. ETC.

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

FROM 11TH APRIL TO 18TH APRIL.

THE Randwick Autumn Meeting has taken place during the past week, and has been attended by thousands of persons, notwithstanding the uncertainty of the weather. An unusually large number of visitors from the country are now in Sydney.

On the 11th instant, his Excellency Mr. Charles Du Cane, Governor of Tasmania, and the Hon. Mrs. Du Cane, arrived by the City of Hobart (s.). They are staying at Government House.

The second annual exhibition of the New South Wales Academy for Works of Colonial Art was opened, on the 15th instant, by the hon. the Premier, Mr. Henry Parkes, and it has since been visited by many hundreds — members of the Academy, or favourable to its objects. Sir Hercules Robinson and Mr. Du Cane visited this exhibition last Tuesday afternoon.

A lad, named James Issard, died at Wilberforce, on the 7th instant, of a gunshot wound accidentaly received.

The Anglican and Roman Catholic Churches in Sydney were open for service on the 11th instant—being Good Friday. The day was very wet; the weather being so bad as to spoil all the picnics.

On the 11th April, the fishermen of Sydney presented a handsome testimonial to Mr. Richard Seymour.

On the morning of the 11th instant, a fire broke out near the corner of King and Castlereagh streets, but was promptly extinguished; chiefly through the energetic action of Mr. W. Camb.

On the 11th instant, two gentlemen (named F. Davidson and E. Montgomery), by way of enjoying a holiday, travelled on bicycles from Sydney to Richmond, in eight hours.

On the 11th instant, according to what now appears to be an established Good Friday custom, a number of our principal musicians gave, at the Victoria Theatre, an entertainment of sacred music.

The R. M. S. S. Sumatra has brought to Sydney the balance of exhibits from Western Australia, as well as the goods selected by Mr. S. de Soyza at Ceylon, to represent the products of that colony. By the Havilah a varied selection of indigenous and other products have been received from New Caledonia.

The Volunteer Camp at Richmond was after four days' duration broken up on the 15th instant.

The Hon. Robert Towns, M.L.C., died at his residence, at Cranbrook, on the 10th instant, aged 79 years. Mr. Towns has been connected with this colony since the year 1827.

On the 3rd instant, near Queanbeyan, a man named Wallace made a murderous assault on a magistrate named A. Gibbes, of Yarralumla.

Some cowardly and vindictive wretches have been shooting horses in the neighbourhood of Weetangera and Geninderra Creek.

The 14th instant, being Easter Monday, was everywhere kept as a holiday.

Last Sunday afternoon, a labourer named Richard Lang, while making tea at his residence, No. 6, Albert-place, off Pitt-street, fell forward into the fire and immediately expired.

On the 11th instant, a Chinaman, named Low Hung, died suddenly at the house of a Chinese doctor, named Mon Wan Ting, in Gloucester-street. His case was peculiar. He died, as the doctors thought, of a complication of diseases.

The celebrated trotting horse, "Sir William Don," the property of Mr. Joseph Thompson, dropped dead while in a buggy on the Randwick Road, on the 13th instant.

Archbishop Polding's successor is to be the Very Rev. Dr. Roger Bede Vaughan.

Last Sunday night, the shop of Mr. Isaacs, at Redfern, was broken into and robbed.

The Legislative Assembly met, after the Easter recess, on Tuesday last.

The cricket match between the Sydney University and Bathurst Clubs concluded on Monday last in favour of the latter side. The University made only 61 in their first innings, and 67 in their second. Bathurst made 121 in their second innings, and this, with the total of their first, gave them the victory by 56.

On the 5th instant, near Carcoar, a boy, named Ambrose Emms, was killed by the upsetting of a dray.

On Monday last, a bazaar was opened, at the Masonic Hall, York-street, in aid of St. Patrick's Convent and Schoolroom.

On Easter Monday, a large number whom the rain prevented from going out to the races went in the evening for amusement to the Exhibition Building, and seemed to be well satisfied with the entertainment there provided.

There was a long debate in the Legislative Assembly, last Tuesday night, on the subject of payment of members.

A deputation, consisting of Messrs. Wearne, Combes, Cummings, Hurley (C.C.), T. Brown, M.L.A.'s; and Messrs. Mongan (of Wattle Flat) and Renny, waited upon the Minister for Lands, last Tuesday, to bring under his notice the subject of payment for mineral leases.

The half-yearly meetings of the Baptist Union of New South Wales were held at Hinton, on the Hunter River, on Good Friday, April 11.

At St. John's schoolroom, Darlinghurst, on the 15th instant, a sale of fancy articles took place in aid of the Protestant Servants' Training School.

On Tuesday evening last, the general settling of the first day of the A. J. C. Autumn Meeting took place at Tattersall's, and was satisfactory. A good deal of business was done on the Sydney Cup.

Mr. John Harscham, of Wingecarribee has grown a fine sample of hops.

The miners' strike at Mount Pleasant colliery, which has lasted nine weeks, terminated on Tuesday last. The miners have accepted the offer of 1s. 4½d. per skip made to them seven weeks back, and will return to work.

A public meeting in connection with the New Hebrides Mission and the wreck of the Dayspring, was held last Tuesday evening, in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, off Bathurst-street. The chair was occupied by the Moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly—the Rev. Dr. Lang.

On Wednesday last, the Legislative Council, on the motion of Mr. Samuel, adjourned as a mark of respect to the memory of its late member the Hon. R. Towns.

An infant, named H. C. Westman, was accidentally suffocated in bed on the 16th instant, at the Glebe.

The inhabitants of Albury and the surrounding districts presented addresses and a testimonial to the Rev. Dr. M'Alroy. The value of the latter, a gold watch, and the money accompanying it, reached £900.

On Easter Monday, the new Presbyterian church at Tarlo, Goulburn district, was opened by the Rev. S. F. Mackenzie.

The talented artists, Mdlle. Claus, Mdlle. Roekel, and M. Roekel gave their first concert in the Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street, last Thursday night.

The Superannuation Act repeal Bill was read a third time last Thursday night in the Legislative Assembly, and ordered to be transmitted to the Legislative Council with the usual message.

A man, named William Clare, who has been labouring about Carcoar for some years, died suddenly on the morning of the 15th instant, from drink.

A boy, named William Bach, was found drowned in a well at Petersham, on Wednesday last.

The monthly meeting of the Engineering Association of New South Wales was held, at the society's new rooms (in Bathurst-street, opposite St. Andrew's Cathedral) last Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Last Thursday night, the dead body of a man, aged about forty-five years, whose name is not known, was found by a boy on the pavement in Bligh-street. There were no marks of violence on the body.

On Saturday last, a man named John M'Kay was killed by a fall from his horse at Bathurst.

On Easter Monday, a new district of the Oddfellows, Manchester Unity, was opened at Braidwood, with great *éclat*.

INSOLVENCY.

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.

Monday, April 21, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Thomas Dixon, adjourned examination from the 15th instant; Woo Lung, special meeting, for examination of insolvent and a witness; Philip Spiegel and William Adolphus Bosser, special for examination of one of the insolvents and a witness.

Monday, April 21, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Peter Lothart, first and only meeting at Mudgee.

Tuesday, April 22, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Thomas Marr, first and only meeting at East Maitland; James Spiering, first and only meeting at Yass.

Wednesday, April 23, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: William James M'Mah, adjourned single from the 9th instant; Philip M'Carroll, adjourned single meeting from the 16th instant. (Second insolvency.)

Wednesday, April 23, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: William Coupland, first and only meeting at Glen Innes.

Thursday, April 24, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: James Harresky, adjourned examination from the 17th instant.

Thursday, April 24, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Joseph Freeman, first and only meeting, at Newcastle.

Friday, April 25, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Richard Sweetman, first and only meeting; Henry Clegg, first and only meeting; Joseph Emanuel Myers, first and only meeting; estate of William Wright (deceased), second meeting; Mary Watts, special, for proof of debts; John Rossiter, adjourned third from the 15th instant.

Friday, April 25, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: William Green, first and only meeting, at Grafton; Richard Jaques, first and only meeting, at Bathurst.

Monday, April 28, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Thomas Barnes, first and only meeting, at Mudgee; John Bandall (of Rundell), first and only meeting, at Mudgee.

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATES.

Tuesday, April 22, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Mary Watts, James Teare Wearne, James Ashcroft, Eliza Dulhunty, Thomas Hill, adjourned certificate from the 25th ultimo; Patrick Kennedy, adjourned from the 8th instant.

Tuesday, April 29, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: William Crawford Gillies, John Welsh, Oliver Spencer, Robert White, Thomas Newby, James Tregoning, John Collins.

COURT BUSINESS.

Saturday, April 26, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Compulsory sequestration—rules nisi returnable: Walter Church and Robert Hills v. Daniel George Soeller, Louis Uhde v. George Merriman. Motions: Accounts current and plans of distribution for confirmation in the following estates:—1. Estate of William Woolls Rutledge, an account current only showing the disposal of the realized assets. 2. Estate of Robert Stobo Gregg, a second plan. dividend, 4 1-16d in the £, and an equalising dividend of 2s in the £ on one further proof.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

BEFORE the Police Magistrate, with Messrs. Cunninghame and Smart.

Two persons were fined for drunkenness, and other two were admonished and discharged.

William Hannan was charged by Honora O'Brien with having threatened to take her life, and she, being afraid that unless restrained by law he will do her some injury, prayed for protection. Ordered to enter into a recognisance in £20, with two sureties in £10 each, to keep the peace three months.

Charles Lloyd was charged with stealing from the person. James Maroney, miner, deposed that between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning he, being asleep in a house in Sussex-lane, was awoke by some one bursting in the front door; presently the prisoner walked upstairs into the bedroom, and prosecutor demanded his business there; he said nothing, but went down stairs returning immediately with two other men; he then demanded 2s. 6d., and being alarmed for his safety, he took 2s. 6d. from his purse, and gave it to prisoner; prisoner said then that he would have the whole; the three rushed at him, one of them struck him, and prisoner took from his pocket his purse containing about 15s.; while prisoner was examining the contents of the purse, he (prosecutor) slipped down stairs, called in a policeman, and gave prisoner into custody. Committed for trial at the Central Criminal Court.

Anthony Howland was charged by Florinda Howland, his wife, with having, for nine weeks, deserted her, leaving her without means of support. The marriage was admitted, but defendant made allegations in extenuation of his conduct, which, however, complainant on oath denied. To pay 15s. a week, with £2 2s. professional costs to Mr. Roberts, who conducted complainant's case.

Three prisoners were discharged and four were remanded.

THE ROSTER.—Monday, April 21: Messrs. Murphy, Spence, Powell, Vickery and Meyer. Tuesday, 22nd: Messrs. Evans, Kippax, and Charlton. Wednesday, 23rd: Messrs. Day, Love, Curran, and Chapman. Thursday, 24th: Messrs. Birrell, Smithers, Thompson, Penfold, and Lester. Friday, 25th: Messrs. Oatley, Palmer, and Goold. Saturday, 26th: Messrs. Cunninghame and Smart.

WATER POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

BEFORE the Water Police Magistrate and Mr. Hunt.

Five persons were fined for drunkenness.

Peter Cunninghame, for being drunk and using obscene language, was ordered to pay a fine of 15s.; in default, six days' imprisonment. He was also charged with breaking three squares of glass, valued at 3s., and was ordered to pay the amount of damage done; in default, two days' additional incarceration.

Patrick Lynch was charged with wilfully breaking three bottles of brandy, one of whisky, and other articles, valued at 25s., the property of James Murie. The Bench ordered defendant to pay the sum of 25s.; in default to be sent to gaol for seven days.

Michael Corbett was sentenced to one month's imprisonment for stealing a bag containing sundry articles of wearing apparel, the property of William Harris.

THE ROSTER.—Monday, April 21: Messrs. C. Lester, J. Williams, J. J. Curran. Tuesday: Messrs. S. Goold, T. Loxton, R. A. Hunt, G. Renwick. Wednesday: Messrs. T. Spence, M. Josephson, S. S. Goold, R. Richardson. Thursday: Messrs. J. Oatley, J. Frazer, M. Charlton, J. Evans. Friday: Messrs. T. Loxton, T. Hale, J. Stewart. Saturday: Mr. T. C. Breillat.

THE WOOL AWARDS.

THE following are the awards of the judges in Section VII. of the Exhibition, together with a list of the exhibits:—

N.B.—Certificates of Merit, accompanied by report, in lieu of money prizes.

Stewards: P. N. TREBECK, Hon. G. H. COX, L. K. HAIGH.

MERINO WOOL.

I. MUDGEE AND MERRIWA DISTRICT.

WASHED WOOL.

Class 229. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

854. ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Growth, 367 days; brand, PP; Collaroy bred Australian merino; 2 to 5 years old; hot water soak, soft soap and soda. Shepherded, paddocked, and housed at nights for three months. Prize.

Class 230.—No entry.

GREASY WOOL.

Class 231. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

855. ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Growth, 370 days; brand, QQ; Collaroy bred Australian merino; 2 to 4 years old. Principally shepherded—housed a short time at night. Prize.

Class 232. Clothing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

856 ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Growth, 349 days; brand, NN; Collaroy bred Australian merino; 2 years old. Shepherded and paddocked. Prize.

II. WESTERN SLOPES DISTRICT.

Growers in this District may also compete with those in District No. 1.

WASHED WOOL.

Class 233. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

857 GORE and Co., Yandilla, Queensland. Growth, 390 days; brand, GRE over Darling Downs; from pure Australian merinoes, originally imported from Messrs. Learmonth's flocks, Victoria; 3 years old; cold water soak and spout. Paddocked.

858 GORE and Co., Yandilla, Queensland. Growth, 390 days; brand, GRE over Darling Downs; from pure Australian merinos, originally imported from Messrs. Learmonth's flocks, Victoria; 3 years old; cold water soak and spout. Paddocked.

859 A. HAMILTON HUME, Everton, Burrowa. Growth, 372 days (average); brand, WC; by N. P. Bayly's rams, from station-bred merinos; 3 years to aged; cold water, slightly spouted. Shepherded.

860 MRS. ANNE PILCHER, Auburn Vale, Inverell. Growth, 380 days; brand, AA; by N. P. Bayly's rams, from station-bred ewes; 2 years 2 months old; warm water spouted (90 deg.), small quantity of soap. Shepherded.

861 BELL and SONS, Jimbour, Queensland. Growth, 370 days; brand, AA; station-bred; 2 years old; cold soak and cold spout, no chemicals. Paddocked. Prize.

862 J. CHRISTIAN and Co., Hinton. Growth, 372 days; brand, WW; station-bred; warm water, soft soap, and spouted. Shepherded.

Class 234. Clothing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

863 MRS. ANNE PILCHER, Auburn Vale, Inverell. Growth, 389 days; brand, BB; by N. P. Bayly's rams, out of station-bred ewes; 2 years and 3 months old; warm water (90 deg.), cold spout, small quantity of soap. Shepherded. Prize.

GREASY WOOL.

Class 235. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

864 F. W. HUME, Castlehead, Burrowa. Growth, 347 days; brand, EL; by N. P. Bayly's rams and ewes; 2 and 3 years old. Shepherded. Prize.

865 CLAYTON and HUME, Frankfield, Gunning. Growth, 358 days, brand, RH, by N. P. Bayly's rams and ewes; 3 years old. Paddocked.

866 MRS. ANNE PILCHER, Auburn Vale, Inverell. Growth, 389 days; brand, CC; by N. P. Bayly's rams out of station-bred ewes; 2 years 2 months old. Shepherded.

Class 236. Clothing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

867 MRS. ANNE PILCHER, Auburn Vale, Inverell. Growth, 389 days; brand DD; by N. P. Bayly's rams out of station-bred ewes; 2 years and 2 months old. Shepherded.

868 MARSHALL and SLADE, Glengallon, Warwick. Growth, 385 days; brand, GN, from merino ewes and rams; 3 to 6 years old. Paddocked. Prize.

III. COAST AND MOUNTAINOUS DISTRICT.

Growers in this district may also compete with those in districts Nos. 1 and 2.

WASHED WOOL.

Class 237. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

869 W. P. FAITHFULL, Springfield, Goulburn. Growth, 366 days; brand, AF conjoined in circle; from Lue rams and ewes, by N. P. Bayly's rams; 2 to 4 years old; soaked and spouted with cold water. Shepherded. Prize.

Class 238. Clothing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

870 W. P. FAITHFULL, Springfield, Goulburn. Growth, 366 days; brand, AF conjoined in circle; from Lue rams and ewes, by Bayly's rams; 2 to 4 years old; soaked and spouted with cold water. Shepherded. Prize.

GREASY WOOL.

Class 239. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

871 W. P. FAITHFULL, Springfield, Goulburn. Growth, 384 days; brand, AF conjoined in circle; from Lue rams and ewes, by Bayly's rams; 3 to 5 years old. Shepherded. Prize.

Class 240. Clothing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

872 W. P. FAITHFULL, Springfield, Goulburn. Growth, 366 days; brand, AF conjoined in circle; from Lue ram and ewes, by Bayly's rams; 2 to 4 years old. Shepherded. Prize.

IV.—INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT.

Growers in this district may also compete with those in districts Nos. 1, 2, and 3.

WASHED WOOL.

No Entries in this division.

V.—SALT BUSH DISTRICT.

Growers in this district may also compete with those in districts Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4.

WASHED WOOL.

Class 245. Clothing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes, unskirted.

873 W. G. GILCHRIST, 64, Margaret-street, Sydney. Growth, 365 days; brand, MY; from ordinary ewes, by Talgai rams, ordinary flock sheep; 3½ years old; hot soak (95 deg.), 8-feet spouts, no soap or chemicals. Shepherded. Prize.

Class 246. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes, unskirted.

874 W. G. GILCHRIST, 64, Margaret-street, Sydney. Growth, 365 days; brand, MY; ordinary flock sheep from Loder ewes by Deuchar rams, then from ewes' progeny by Talgai rams; 3½ years old; hot soak (95 deg.), 8-feet spouts, no chemicals. Shepherded. Prize.

Class 247 to 250.—No entries.

INTERCOLONIAL.

VII.—CHALLENGE PRIZE. OPEN TO ALL EXHIBITS.

WASHED WOOL.

Class 251. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes, unskirted.

875 JAMES GIBSON, Belle Vue, Tasmania. Growth, 365 days; brand, AE; pure merino; 2 and 4 tooth; hot water spouts, little soap. Paddocked.

876 ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Growth, 367 days; brand, PP; Collaroy merinoes; 2 to 5 years old; hot water soak, soft soap and soda. Shepherded, paddocked, and housed at night for about three months.

876½ T. L. LEARMONTH, Ercildoun, Victoria. Brand, 88. Prize.

Class 252.—No Entry.

Class 253. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes, hoggets, unskirted.

877 A. HAMILTON HUME, Everton, Burrowa. Lambed between 14th September, 1871, and 20th October, 1871, shorn November 1st, 1872; brand, EE; by N. P. Bayly's rams out of station ewes; average 1 year 1 month 10 days; cold water, slightly spouted. Shepherded. Prize.

Class 254. Combing.—For the most valuable bale, not less than 200 lbs. net, of not more than 100 fleeces, ewes.

878. JAMES GIBSON, Belle Vue, Tasmania. Growth, 365 days, not more; brand, AE; pure merino; 2 and 4-tooth; cold water spout, little soap. Paddocked. Highly commended.

879 ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Brand, MM. Collaroy merinos; hot water soak, soft soap and soda. Shepherded and paddocked. Commended.

879½ T. L. LEARMONTH, Ercildoun, Victoria. Brand, 88. Prize.

Class 255.—No entry.

Class 256. Clothing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', hoggets, unskirted.

880 MRS. ANNE PILCHER, Auburn Vale, Inverell. Growth, 1 year 2 months; brand, EE; by Bayly's rams out of station-bred ewes; 1 year 2 months old; warm water soak (90 deg.), small quantity of soap, cold water spout. Shepherded. Prize.

Class 257.—No entry.

Class 258. Clothing.—For the most valuable bale, not less than 200 lbs. net, of not more than 100 fleeces, ewes.

881 W. H. WATT, Wanganui, New Zealand. Brand, anchor. Recommended for a separate prize.

882 MRS. ANNE PILCHER, Auburn Vale, Inverell. Growth, 389 days; brand, SS; by Bayly's rams, out of station-bred ewes; 2 years 2 months old; warm water soak (90 deg.), little soap, cold water spout. Shepherded. Prize.

GREASY WOOL.

Class 259. Combing.—For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

883 JAMES GIBSON, Belle Vue, Tasmania. Growth, 345 days; brand, AE; pure merino; 2-toothed. Paddocked.

884 ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Growth, 370 days; brand, QQ; Collaroy merinos; 2 to 4 years old. Principally shepherded, housed at night for a short time.

885 PRICE MAURICE, Adelaide. Growth, 393 days; brand, PC; from Pekina-bred merino ewes, by J. Murray's merino rams; 4-tooth. Shepherded.

885½ T. L. LEARMONTH, Ercildoun, Victoria. Brand, 88. Prize.

Class 260. Combing.—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, rams, unskirted.

886 BELL and SONS, Jimbour, Dalby. Growth, 365 days; brand, ZZ; Jimbour rams and ewes; 3 years old. Paddocked.

887 ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Growth, 371 days; brand, OO; Collaroy merinos; 2 to 4 years old. Shepherded, housed at night three months. Highly commended.

888 G. D. HAY, Woodville, Binda. Growth, 384 days; brand, SI; from pure-bred merinos; 6 years old. Paddocked.

889 C. B. FISHER, Adelaide. Growth, 357 and 365 days; brand, RJ over 260; from sheep originally introduced from New South Wales; 2, 4, and 6 tooth. Partly paddocked, shepherded, and housed. Prize.

Class 261. For the most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes', unskirted.

890 MARSHALL and SLADE, Glengallen, Warwick. Growth, 365 days; brand, GN; merinos; 3 to 5 years old. Paddocked.

891 ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Growth, 349 days; brand, NN; Collaroy merinos; 2 years old. Shepherded and paddocked. Prize.

Class 262. No entry.

Class 263. Clothing.—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, rams', unskirted.

892 HODGSON and RAMSAY, Etonvale, Darling Downs. Growth, 361 days; brand, EV in diamond; Saxon merino ewes, by imported merino rams; 3 to 5 years old. Paddocked. Prize.

WASHED WOOL.

Class 264. For the best got up bale in the Exhibition—200 lbs. Washed on sheeps' back.

893 MRS. ANNE PILCHER, Auburn Vale, Inverell. Growth, 389 days; brand, SS; by Bayly's rams, out of station-bred ewes; 2 years 2 months old; warm water soak (90 deg.), little soap, cold water spout. Shepherded. Third.

894 JAMES GIBSON, Belle Vue, Tasmania. Growth, 365 days; brand, AE; pure merino; 2 and 4 tooth; hot water spout, little soap. Paddocked.

894½ T. L. Learmonth, Ercildoun, Victoria. Brand, 88. Prize. Perfection.

Class 265. For the best fellmongered bale in the Exhibition—200 lbs.

895 ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Brand, RR; Australian merino; station skins; various ages; scoured in ordinary washing boxes, soap and water. Prize.

896 JAMES RAMSAY, Nanama, Yass. All under 12 months old; Rambouillet rams and Australian merino ewes; fellmongered in usual manner, afterwards washed in cold water. Shepherded.

VIII. CHAMPION PRIZE—SILVER MEDAL.

Class 266. For the most valuable 12 fleeces in the Exhibition.

897 JAMES GIBSON, Belle Vue, Tasmania. Growth, 350 days; brand, AE; pure merino; 2 and 4-tooth; greasy. Paddocked.

898 JAMES GIBSON, Belle Vue, Tasmania. Growth, 365 days; brand, AE; pure merino; 2 and 4-tooth; hot water (110 deg.), No. 1 soap. Paddocked.

899 T. L. LEARMONTH, Ercildoun, Victoria; brand, 88.

901 W. H. WATT, Wanganui, New Zealand. Brand, anchor. Separate prize.

902 ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Growth, 370 days; brand, QQ; Collaroy merinos; 2 to 4 years old. Principally shepherded—housed at night for a short time.

903 C. B. FISHER, Adelaide. Brand, RJ over 260, and RD over RC. From sheep originally introduced from New South Wales.

903½ T. L. LEARMONTH, Ercildoun, Victoria; brand, 88. 1st prize.

IX. COARSE WOOLS WASHED.

Class 267. The most valuable 12 fleeces, ewes' wool.

904 W. H. WATT, Wanganui, New Zealand. Brand, anchor. Prize.

905 W. H. WATT, Wanganui, New Zealand. Brand, anchor. Prize.

Class 268. The most valuable six fleeces, rams' wool.

906 W. H. WATT, Wanganui, New Zealand. Brand, anchor. Prize.

X. ANGORA AND OTHER GOATS' WOOL.

Class 269. For the most valuable two fleeces bucks' wool.

907 PRICE MAURICE, Adelaide. Growth, 252 days; brand, PC; bred by exhibitor, imported and colonial bred; 4 and 6 tooth, and full-mouthed. Prize.

Class 270. For the most valuable two fleeces, does' wool.

908 PRICE MAURICE, Adelaide. Growth, 239 days; brand, PC; bred by exhibitor, imported and colonial bred; 4 and 6 tooth, and full-mouthed. Prize.

XII. SPECIAL PRIZES.

Mort and Co.'s Challenge Cup, value fifty guineas.

909 ROWLAND J. TRAILL, Collaroy, Merriwa. Brand, MT; hot water, soft soap, little soda. Paddocked and shepherded. Prize.

Gibson's Special Prize, Silver Cup, value £10.

910 HON. G. H. COX, Burrundulla, Mudgee. Growth, 366 days, or 12 months; brand, X; Saxon merino; 2 years old; hot water, and spouted. Paddocked.

911 JAMES GIBSON, Belle Vue, Tasmania. Growth, 345 days; brand, AE; pure merino; 1 year 4 months old; in grease. Paddocked.

912 C. B. FISHER, Adelaide. Growth, 350 and 357 days; brand, RD; from sheep originally introduced from New South Wales; 2-tooth—under 1 year 6 months old. Partly paddocked, shepherded, and housed. Prize.

913 C. B. FISHER, Adelaide. Growth, 350 and 357 days; brand, RC; from sheep originally introduced from New South Wales; 2-tooth—under 1 year 6 months old. Partly paddocked, shepherded, and housed.

All high class wools.

NON-COMPETITIVE.

914 G. F. PULLEY, Hobart Town. 4-tooth; grease.

915 HUGH ROBISON and Co., 32, Bridge-street, Sydney. Lambswool, washed by machinery.

915A C. B. FISHER, Adelaide. One case samples of prize wools; one case photographs of sheep.

N.B.—In this Section the wools of the various colonies are included, samples of which are exhibited in their respective courts.

THE OPENING OF THE FIRST ASSIZE COURT AT MUDGEE.

(From the Mudgee Times, April 18.)

IT having been communicated to the Reception Committee that the Chief Justice, Sir Alfred Stephen, Knight, would arrive in Mudgee at about 5 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, the 16th instant, a large number of our leading inhabitants made the Belmore Hotel their rendezvous at about 3 o'clock on that day, to prepare for a start down the Mudgee road to receive his Honor, and escort him into town. Carriages, buggies, and horsemen, made up a tolerably large cavalcade, which was considerably augmented on the way, after the start was made, at about twenty minutes past the last-mentioned hour. Amongst those who took part in the procession we noticed Messrs. S. H. Barnes, Mayor of Mudgee; A. H. Cox, J.P., Mayor of Cudgegong; G. Warburton, P.M.; J. D. Cox, J.P.; R. Lowe, J.P.; V. Cox, J.P.; R. H. D. White, J.P.; J.P. Dickson, M. H. Todhunter, F. Mueller, W. Lowe, L. O. D. James; G. Leary, Clerk of Petty Sessions; J. Dart, Secretary of the Reception Committee; Aldermen G. Davidson, T. Smith, Sheppard, and Sherry; Dr. Rowling, W. R. Lester, W. Bishop, D. Scott, S. Malone, — Kevin, Canon Gunther, S. Blackman, J.P., — St. Clair, H. James, and G. M'Quiggin.

On arriving at Murray's Inn, about two miles out of town, it was deemed advisable to halt until his Honor's carriage came in sight; and this was not until fully an hour had elapsed. As it drove up, escorted by a body of mounted police, under the command of sub-inspector Medley, the various vehicles, &c., ranged on each side of the road to allow it to pass through, and, as it did so, his Honor courteously returned the salutations with which the public greeted him.

No stoppage was made, and on arriving at the Belmore Hotel, Sir Alfred Stephen, who was accompanied by the Clerk of Arraigns (Mr. G. G. Deas Thomson), alighted and proceeded to his apartment, where several gentlemen were introduced by sub-inspector Medley to his Honor.

The members of the reception committee having welcomed his Honor to the town, he, in reply to their inquiry as to the most convenient time for an address to be presented to him, named the following morning at a quarter to 10 o'clock. It was then intimated to his Honor that a large number of the inhabitants had assembled outside the hotel to welcome him and he was invited to walk into the balcony. As he did so some one in the crowd called for "three cheers for Sir Alfred Stephen," which were heartily given, and the Harmonic Band, which was in attendance in a conveyance, struck up the National Anthem.

HIS HONOR having advanced to the front of the balcony, addressed the assemblage, and said:—"I do not know whether I can make myself heard by all who are present, but I am glad of the opportunity of thanking you for the respect and marks of attention I have met with on my journey hither. I do not recognise these marks of respect as to myself individually, but as marks of the honour and respect in which you hold the law, which I may be said to be the representative of here. And nothing can give me greater pleasure than the manner in which you have received me in that capacity. I congratulate you very cordially on the institution of a Circuit Court here, and hope heartily that both now and in the future it may be a benefit to yourselves and the colony generally."

At the conclusion of Sir Alfred Stephen's speech there were cheers, and the Mayor of Mudgee having called for three cheers for the Queen, they were given right heartily, the band playing, after which his Honor retired.

The following address was delivered by the Chief Justice on Thursday, on the occasion of opening the first Assize Court held in Mudgee:—

SIR ALFRED STEPHEN said: "On taking my seat in this place for the first time, and on an occasion of so much importance to the district as the opening of its first Circuit Court, I shall not be thought unduly to detain the gentlemen who are summoned here as jurors, the members of the Bar, the magistrates, and others whom I see around me, by addressing to them some observations on the nature and object of the duties which are here to be discharged, and on one or two kindred topics—having reference more especially to the prevalence and repression of crime. If in so doing I shall appear in any degree to exceed my province as a Judge, or to express opinions too authoritatively on subjects with which others are equally competent, and perhaps better entitled to deal—my apology is their grave importance—their appropriateness to the occasion which brings us here, and the persuasion that they will be of use if only as materials for thought. And I may be pardoned for reminding you, that at least those opinions come recommended by no light or recent study; but are the result of an experience, legislative and judicial, extending over more than forty years.

"The establishment of a Circuit Court in any locality, possessing as this tribunal does the highest powers incidental to the trial of cases, civil and criminal, is on many grounds—and more prominently those in reference to which it is too often sought—a matter of congratulation to the town and neighbourhood, and I cordially offer you my own. It will be generally admitted, that no portion of the colony is better entitled to the distinction, or could more justly claim the responsibility, than this wealthy and important district. But the establishment is not an unmixed good. It entails on the inhabitants onerous and very painful duties, and it is of these mainly that I desire to speak. If they be rightly understood, and discharged with conscientiousness and intelligence, the erection of this Court will then have conferred inappreciable benefits, not on the district alone which it embraces, but on the community at large. I am aware that many are present, who have already in the existing Court become practically familiar with those duties; but those gentlemen will, nevertheless, I trust, pardon me for the remarks which follow—made not more for their consideration, than that of others, who probably have less reflected on the subject, and others, into whose hands this address may fall.

"We are here, in the hall of Justice—I should prefer to call it the Temple of Truth. Our object, as it regards the administration of the Criminal Law, is simply the repression of crime. The direct incentive to good conduct, to abstinence from offence against the laws, by the concession of rewards, is unknown to jurisprudence. We endeavour to restrain crimes, whether against society or individuals, by the terror solely of inflicted punishment. But in the carrying out of this great object, equally for the security of the person and the preservation of property, and of life, it is obvious that our first necessity is the ascertainment of facts. When the law has been violated, in other words, an offence committed, we have to discover who is the criminal; and this is the all important task and duty confided to a jury. The same is to be said, in effect, as to the administration of the law in Civil cases. Until the facts of a case are understood, and have been declared, the office of the Court or Judge in determining the right or liability of either party is in abeyance.

"It follows that in both jurisdictions alike, while truthful testimony and a diligent search after truth are essential, justice cannot be administered nor its ends attained without the honest unflinching assertion or declaration of the truth. To this, the peculiar privilege and province of jurors, in comparison with which the power and duty of the Judge are but secondary, I ask your attention. With the consequences to flow from your verdict, you have nothing to do. The result depends on the law. If this be harsh or unreasonable, the Legislature which represents you has the power to amend it. But you cannot with a clear and enlightened conscience declare that to be false, in any case, which you would, if the law were otherwise, unhesitatingly pronounce to be true.

"This admonition is so unanswerably just, the position so impregnable, that the caution would seem to be unnecessary. But it is not so. Take two recent examples. The law pronounces any illegal encounter, in which blows are struck from which death ensues, to be manslaughter. The jury, nevertheless, in a late case, where the facts were clear against the accused, acquitted him from motives of compassion—and because they thought that the deceased provoked him to the combat. In another case, a ruffian had brutally attacked two women, and seriously wounded, in an attempt to kill, a bystander, who interfered to protect them. The prisoner being found guilty of that charge, was executed. Immediately thereafter one of the jury, because he disapproved of that punishment, published a declaration that he would never have been a party to the verdict had he contemplated such a result. In other words, that although on oath he had declared the accused to have meditated death, this juror would have perjured himself by deliberately asserting a belief that the man had not meditated it. In each of these cases how strange was the ignorance of duty—the want of the moral sense; the contempt equally of law and of the proved facts. In each, Truth seems to have been regarded as a thing of no account; to be dethroned and trampled on, at discretion, in that which should be her sanctuary. I select instances from another colony; but it is right to say that we are not without similar examples in our own.

"I am prepared to vindicate the law, which places the crime of wounding, with the design to murder, in the same category with that of accomplished murder. The latter, in the popular view of it, is the most awful of all crimes. But, in point of fact, and in legal contemplation, it comprehends many degrees of atrocity—some of which are infinitely less wicked, both in act and intent, and in their consequences less cruel, than the stabbing or otherwise wounding of a person, whom the criminal seeks and perhaps does his utmost to murder. I will give but a few examples of very many tried by me. A small settler, living beyond Berrima, was travelling in his cart to Sydney, in order to dispose of some produce and bring back articles for his family; when he was accosted by a foot-sore traveller, who begged of him a ride for a few miles. The settler took the man up, gave him food, shared his lodging with him that night, and proceeded with him as far as Liverpool; when, on passing through the scrub near that town, the kindly old man was suddenly shot through the back by his pilgrim friend. He fell instantly from the cart, but was pursued and again shot in the side and left for dead. The miscreant then drove the cart with its contents to Sydney, where he sold them as his own. Did the accidental, the almost miraculous recovery of the wounded man, I ask, affect in the slightest degree the character of that most atrocious crime? Could the unfortunate victim's death, a result dependent on temperament, on skilful treatment or the reverse, on his previous bodily health, the state of the weather, or some supervening disease, have made that crime worse? Why then should the degree of punishment vary with the result? To the same class of crime, which that case illustrates, belong—although wanting its peculiar aggravations—the attempt on the life of the Duke of Edinburgh, the firing down on the constables in charge of the gold escort, and many other cases which I forbear to enumerate, some of them involving details of unusual horror.

"I unhesitatingly add to the list of crimes equal in wickedness to murder, unless of the worst type, cases of rape committed on unprotected women in the wild bush, and some other aggravated cases of that class—such, for example, as the perpetration of the outrage under threats of death, or in pursuance of an intention previously formed, and thus not the result of sudden temptation, or when committed under more than the usual circumstances of brutal insult or violence.

"I have said in substance that our object here is primarily the search after truth; the ultimate object being, by the discovery and punishment of the criminal, the diminution of crime. No object of greater importance socially can readily be proposed to us. For, as has been well observed, crime rapidly begets crime; and if its punishment be costly, as it ever will be, not to punish crime will be found to be infinitely more costly. So that legislators have to consider what measure and what degree or kind of punishment are the best calculated to deter men from crime. That subject is one too wide, and too remote from our immediate purpose, to be entered on in this place. But, as crime never can be repressed, whatever the punishment, by the substitute of the innocent for the guilty (to say nothing of the wickedness of the idea), we have in British jurisprudence established two maxims of universal and unswerving application. The one is, as you all know, that every person shall be presumed innocent until he be shown to be guilty; the other, that no one shall be pronounced guilty where a reasonable doubt exists as to that guilt. The latter rigid rule, humane and just in itself, has been so misunderstood or preverted in modern times, that we owe to it not infrequently the most discreditable acquittals, as injurious occasionally in the sequel to the accused as they are in immediate consequences to the community. If we recoil instinctively from the bare suspicion of one mistaken conviction, and admit, as all must, the frightful evils of so sad an error, we cannot deny that a large or greater amount of mischief is inflicted on society by unrighteous impunity often extended to proved criminals. And I attribute this result, in the cases which I have witnessed, to one of three causes—to prejudice conceived against the prosecution, because of undue pressure or the like on the prisoner; to sympathy with him, in itself inevitable, under the peculiar circumstances of his case; or to misapprehension respecting the value of some discrepancies in the evidence, or to a vague general distrust of that which is called circumstantial testimony.

"As to the first of these causes, I trust that it is unnecessary here to say more than I have done. As to the second, I would entreat jurymen (if I may pardonably so express myself) to use more freely the thinking faculty; to reason for themselves, according to their own generally excellent sense, on the probabilities of the case before them; and not suffer themselves to be led astray by any declamation, respecting minute if really unimportant variances. There are some discrepancies, small in themselves, but important in character, which will at once legitimately destroy the credibility of any story. Every person of reflection and experience knows, on the other hand, that variations in the account of a transaction, not merely discrepancies between the narration of two or more witnesses, but between that of the same witness given at different times, are frequently met with; and yet that in the main—in all that is essential to the point—the account is perfectly true. The condition of human testimony, says Paley, is substantial truth under circumstantial variety. On the third assumed cause, I venture to offer the following observations: the same in effect as I have in my judicial career often made to juries—but on this occasion perhaps more carefully prepared.

"In the first place, then, this kind of evidence—speaking of it now as a distinct species, which logically it is not—should be acted on with caution. For the anxiety to detect a crime—and especially a great crime—may have led the witnesses to mis-state or exaggerate facts, and may lead the jury to draw unfounded inferences. And particularly this may occur when the question is as to expressions used by the

suspected person, or his demeanour on some occasion. Moreover, not only may the inference from each separate fact be mistaken, but every matter of fact in succession, or some one material if not essential matter, may have been falsely sworn to. Secondly, in arriving at the final result of guilty or not guilty, the conclusion of guilt must not only be itself a rational one under the circumstances, but it must be the only rational conclusion which reasonable and reasoning men would draw. And one single fact or conclusion, not simply difficult of reconcilement, but absolutely and clearly irreconcilable with the supposition of guilt, will countervail any number of opposing circumstances. But, lastly, if all these considerations be taken into account by the jury, and every fact or suggestion for or against the accused be anxiously weighed by them—always assuming the jurors to be men of the ordinary intelligence and experience in affairs—a conviction founded on circumstantial evidence is, in my deliberate judgment, equal, if not superior, to direct testimony. An eminent writer has the following remarks on the subject; and with them I close this long address to you:—'Every single fact, either in nature or science or the conduct of men, is known by common experience to have invariably, or with rare exceptions, certain causes and concomitants; and it is on the connection between these that the value of circumstantial testimony depends. All men, more or less unconsciously, act on the presumptions—the *inferences* from known to unknown facts—which this connection supplies, in their own affairs and in judging of the conduct of others; and in the majority of instances it will probably be found that men thus reason and judge rightly.'"

THE CARL OUTRAGES.

(From the Argus.)

HENRY C. Mount and William C. Morris, convicted of the manslaughter of a Polynesian on board the brig Carl in the South Seas, were brought up at the Criminal Court before his Honor Mr. Justice Fellows for sentence.

Mr. Justice Fellows read the following as the opinion of the Judges on the questions submitted to them by the Chief Justice as to the sentence which could legally be passed on the prisoners:—The prisoners have been tried and convicted under the Imperial statute 12 and 13 Vict., c. 96, and the question arose at the trial, what can be the sentence? The learned Chief Justice, before whom the trial took place, reserved that question for the opinion of the Supreme Court, or (if the Court should consider it had no jurisdiction) of the Judges. The Court has already expressed its opinion that the question could not be determined on a case—a point on which the learned Chief Justice evidently entertained some doubt—and it has consequently been taken into consideration by three of the Judges, who have met and deliberated upon it. The question depends on the construction of the first and second sections of the Act. It was contended for the prisoners, and not disputed on behalf of the Crown, that the first section related only to the form and manner of procedure, which might be *multiform*, depending solely on the law and practice of the particular colony in which the trial might take place; but that, under the second section, the punishment must be *uniform*, depending solely on the law of England. In this interpretation of the Act the Judges fully concur. The question then arises, What law of England is to be the guide? And on this question the Crown and the prisoners are at issue. The words of the second section are that the person convicted of any offence "shall be subject and liable to, and shall suffer all such and the same pains, penalties, and forfeitures as by any law or laws *now* in force" he "would be subject and liable to in case such offence had been committed, and were inquired of, tried, heard, determined, and adjudged in England." In 1849, the period referred to by the word "now" in that section, the punishment for manslaughter (the offence of which the prisoners have been convicted) was prescribed by the 9 Geo. IV., c. 31, s. 9, to be transportation beyond the seas for life, or for any term not less than seven years, or imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any term not exceeding four years, or such fine as the Court should award. The Act under consideration must, therefore, be read as if those punishments had been expressly inserted or repeated in it instead of being merely incorporated by reference (*R. v. Brecon*, 15 Q.B. 813). By the 20 and 21 Vict., c. 3, s. 2, it is enacted that, "after the commencement of this Act, no person shall be sentenced to transportation," but instead thereof shall be "sentenced to be kept in penal servitude for a term of the same duration as the term of transportation to which he would have been liable" before that Act; and where "one of two or more terms of transportation might have been awarded, the Court shall have the like discretion to award one of any two or more of the terms of penal servitude" authorised to be awarded instead of such terms of transportation. It was contended by Mr. Ireland that the law of England in 1849 was still binding; that imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for a term not exceeding four years, or a fine, was the only punishment that could be awarded and carried out; that transportation could not be carried out; and that penal servitude could not be awarded. He urged that the 20 and 21 Vic., c. 3, did not apply to any colony, because it was not "made applicable to such colony by express words or necessary intendment," and in support of the last proposition he relied upon the 28 and 29 Vic., c. 63. As that statute deals only with the case of a conflict of Imperial and colonial legislation, it cannot, as will be presently seen, affect this question. This argument appears to the Judges to answer itself; for if transportation is the proper sentence, it can only be so because in this instance it has not been abolished, and if it has not been abolished it is still in force and capable of execution. The general principle stated in 2 P. Wms. 75 was also referred to. It cannot be controverted, and in truth disposes of the question. That principle is—"that if there be a new and uninhabited country found out by English subjects, as the law is the birthright of every subject, so, wherever they go, they carry their laws with them, and therefore such new found country is to be governed by the laws of England;" though after such country is inhabited by the English, "Acts of Parliament made in England, without naming the foreign plantations, will not bind them." The 12 and 13 Vict., c. 96, under which the conviction was had, is intituled "An Act for the Prosecution and Trial of Offences committed within the jurisdiction of the Admiralty," and by the first section deals with any person who "within any colony shall be charged with the commission of" certain named offences. It was necessarily admitted that this Act was in force here, and that an Act simply repealing it would also be in force here; but it was said that an Act simply altering it would not. It appears to the Judges that there is no foundation for this distinction. The original Act no doubt applies only to the colonies, while the 20 and 21 Vict., c. 3 embraces also the United Kingdom, but they are both Acts of the same Legislature, and if one is contrary to the other, the maxim *Leges posteriores contrarias priores abrogant* must apply. It was said that as the latter Act did not name the colonies it would violate the principle before referred to if it were held to be in force here. The Judges think not. That principle merely means that Acts made in England after the settlement of a colony, but not naming it, do not alter the common law as it then exists in such colony, or any statute law, whether taken by the settlers with them as their "birthright," or made by them in their own local Legislature. It has no application where the law repealed or altered is a law of the Imperial Legislature made after settlement and naming the colonies. Moreover, as was argued by Mr. O'Loghlen, the jurisdiction conferred upon the colonial courts is one previously exercised by an Imperial tribunal; the offence is Imperial, the legislation Imperial, and the operation of the Act Imperial. Why, then, should it not be affected by subsequent Imperial legislation? This criterion has been adopted by Dr. Lushington, who says, in reference to another statute of Imperial operation, "I am also clearly of opinion—and I regret to see that a doubt was entertained upon the subject—that this Merchant Shipping Act does generally apply to our colonies. I considered so from the beginning, from the matters stated in it, and the preliminary matter" (*The Rajah of Cochin*, Swabey, 465). A parallel to the present case is afforded by the 16 and 17 Vict., c. 118. That Act merely amends the 6 and 7 Vict., c. 34 (for the apprehension of criminals), by omitting a few words. If the argument of Mr. Ireland be correct, the words are to be considered as omitted from that Act where an offender escapes from Victoria to England, and not omitted where he escapes from Victoria to New South Wales. The Judges cannot adopt this view. It was pressed upon them that if they held penal servitude to be the proper sentence they would be reviving transportation. A reference to the Acts 16 and 17 Vict., c. 99, and 20 and 21 Vict., c. 3, will show that penal servitude and transportation are substantially the same thing by different names, except that the place of punishment may be in any part of the British dominions, including the United Kingdom. The discontinuance of transportation to, or penal servitude in, the colonies, arises not so much from an alteration of the law as of the departmental practice in enforcing it, so that the opinion of the Judges in no way touches that matter; and if it did, they can only declare the law to be as they find it. The Judges are of opinion that the prisoners cannot be sentenced to transportation, but may be sentenced to be kept in penal servitude for life, or for any term not less than seven years. The execution of that sentence would seem to be a matter of Imperial duty, as the place in which the prisoners are to be confined depends upon the directions of one of her Majesty's principal Secretaries of State. (16 and 17 Vict., c. 99, s. 6.)

The prisoners were then asked what they had to say in mitigation of punishment.

Mount read the following statement:—"May it please this Honorable Court,—I shall request your patience while I place before you, as briefly as possible, the true statement with reference to those dreadful circumstances which have led to our present ignominious position, and which is rendered the more painful by the knowledge that our friends suffer equally with ourselves. Our connection with Dr. Murray was solely for the purpose of cotton-planting, and for this purpose horses, agricultural implements, and tools were shipped in sufficient quantity. With the ship or its trade we had no interest or connection other than as passengers, as our agreement with Dr. Murray will show; and Dr. Murray had also admitted this to be true in his sworn evidence before the Water Police Court at Sydney. We were aware that native labourers were to be employed on the plantation, but we were not aware that they were to be obtained otherwise than honestly as hired labourers, under the license which had been obtained under the Government. And we utterly disclaim any foreknowledge of Dr. Murray's ulterior designs. Upon reaching Levuka Dr. Murray stated his intention to abandon the pearl-fishing trade, and to run a cargo of 'labour' to Levuka, after placing us upon the site we should select; and for this purpose procured an authority from the British Consul at Fiji. We objected to go further with the vessel, but Dr. Murray insisted upon our carrying out our agreement, but he so far acceded to our wish as to lodge an application with the Government at Fiji for lands, and also promised to return us to Fiji in the event of the New Hebrides proving unfit for settlement. At Havannah Harbour, in the New Hebrides, we found suitable land, and upon the recommendation of Mr. Young, who had a plantation there, we determined to remain. Dr. Murray apparently acquiesced, but shortly afterwards gave the captain orders to make Apii, against our wills and remonstrances. At Apii Dr. Murray bought land, but, as I and my companions considered this very unsuitable, and indeed dangerous, from the character of the natives and unhealthiness of the climate, we refused to occupy it, and thus became connected with the further voyage of the Carl, greatly against our wills.

"It was not till the first captures were made that we became aware of the real character of the trade, and then it was too late to extricate ourselves, or to put an end to the enterprise by leaving the vessel; for, so far as regarded the supply of labour, the profit of the adventure was wholly and solely Dr. Murray's, and all authority in the vessel rested with him.

"He threatened instant death or marooning on an island to any *one* of us who withheld his hand, and soon showed himself very capable of carrying out his threats.

"Your Honor will find that it does appear on the evidence that he ordered the first man who was wounded to be thrown overboard, and it was I who saved his life by escorting him, at great risk, to a friendly canoe. We took no part personally in the murderous assault of the natives in the hold, nor is there any evidence that we did, except that of one man, himself one of the guilty parties, who accuses me of firing my revolver down the hatchway, and my companion of loading some of the weapons. We do not deny it, but it should be recollected that it was done under the impression that the labourers were endeavouring to get on deck, and had they succeeded, armed as they were, their number would have enabled them to murder us all and capture the ship. And it also ought to be remembered on my behalf that the same evidence proves that I enabled the peaceful natives to come on deck (spite of Murray's and his officers' express orders) and avoid the shot, while, after the disturbance was quieted for a time, we took no further part in the subsequent affray, and at a subsequent period that we decidedly objected and protested to any renewal of the proceedings when proposed by Dr. Murray, and that my companion did not fire a single shot during the night.

"Our situation, therefore, was this:—We could not leave the ship, nor could we exert any authority in the command of her, while on the one hand Murray, an armed maniac on deck, threatened instant death if we refused assistance, and on the other hand, a host of infuriated natives below deck threatened us with murder if they succeeded in forcing their way. I am sure your Honor will feel that this was not a position in which we could nicely discriminate between murder, manslaughter, and justifiable homicide, more especially when I add that the crew, who were pecuniarily interested in the prosecution of the trade, would undoubtedly support Dr. Murray in any measures that he dictated. We did not take part in any of Murray's subsequent proceedings, though we dared not resist them. There is evidence in the case that we condemned them openly at the time. I would respectfully refer your Honor to Murray's letter to me, put in in evidence. Shortly before sighting Apii, on our return voyage to Levuka, Murray wrote a circular to Morris, Wilson, and myself, asking us to join him and Scott at Apii, where he had determined to remain and form a plantation. We most indignantly refused, and in reply accused him of having most foully deceived and swindled us; further asking how he dared expect us to co-operate with him, considering what had taken place, and also reminding him that had he taken our advice we would not be in the position of enemies, and demanding the return of the money advanced him in Melbourne, viz., £60 each. Dr. Murray's answer to this is in evidence, in which he acknowledges, that he did not hit it, in other words, were not on terms of amity, and also remarks upon my advice, &c. Surely, your Honor, that letter alone should give some colouring of truth to our statement, considering that letter to be written by a man who had deeply wronged us; who feared to accompany his own vessel to Levuka, lest we should hand him over to the hands of the law. It is an hypocritical letter, written evidently with the intention to smooth down our just enmity; even granting us orders on his agents at Levuka for the money we had advanced in Melbourne. After leaving Murray and Scott at Apii, we made Levuka, the only point it was possible for us to leave the Carl. We did so, and presented our money orders to Messrs. F. and W. Hennings, Murray's agents there, who refused to meet them, and it was only upon representing to them our destitute position that they consented to advance us each £10, with a steerage passage to Sydney, in their ship the Meteor, which was to leave the next day. This money was advanced upon five horses they had in their charge. We accepted it, only too glad to escape from all connection with either Murray or his vessel. This money was drawn upon the house of Rabone, Feez, and Co., Sydney, and I hold in my possession documents proving this beyond a doubt. Surely, your Honor, had we been willing participators in the outrages on board the Carl, is it not reasonable to suppose that we would have derived no pecuniary benefit from it, more especially as the sailors received their demands in full, together with the secret service, or head money, as admitted in evidence?

"And may it please this honorable Court, it is with a feeling of deep humiliation that I approach a subject which is very painful to us, and in which we confess we were wrong, viz., that we did not state the doings on board the Carl as soon as possible; but, in the first place, I, who acted as spokesman for the party, was dangerously ill, in fact unable to leave my bed. This also came out in evidence, and some of my oldest and dearest friends in Victoria were connections of Murray, and we believed that Murray, by remaining at Apii, had placed himself in a position from which he would not escape with life, and we naturally shrank from any statement which would cause us to occupy the position of informers. This will explain our silence. And I would remind your Honor we were unable to procure Dr. Murray, who was under the control of the Government.

"And we most respectfully request your Honor's attention to the character of the witnesses, whose safety lay in such a deviation from truth as would make us appear equally guilty with themselves. And I deny most emphatically that any natives were killed except during the affray, as has been alleged by one of the witnesses; and this is borne out by other portions of the evidence. And we respectfully submit to your consideration that while we acknowledge the ability, skill, and zeal with which we have been defended, there is but little evidence against us of such a participation in the guilt of this dreadful case as to justify the ignominy which it has brought upon us, strengthened as it would be by unusual severity of punishment.

"And as I have been truly taught, and believe that I shall stand before the throne of my Heavenly Maker on that last great day, so do I now most truthfully and solemnly affirm that I and my young friend were most unwilling actors in what took place on board the Carl, coerced by and wholly at the mercy of that monster Murray and his piratical crew."

Morris said: I have nothing to say except to express my assent to the statement read by my friend Mr. Mount.

Mr. Justice Fellows: The facts which you allege are matters rather for the consideration of the jury in giving their verdict than for me at this stage of the case. The Chief Justice, before he left the colony, left a written memorandum, in which he stated the sentence which he wished to pass, depending on the opinion of the Judges on the case reserved for them. He states that he can draw no distinction between you; and the sentence which he had expressed the intention of passing it is simply my duty now to pronounce. That sentence is that each of you be kept to penal servitude for a period of fifteen years.

The prisoners, who seemed to be astonished at the sentence, were removed from the dock.

IMPORTATION OF STOCK.

THE following proclamation appears in the *Government Gazette* published on Friday:—

Whereas by section 10 of an Act of the Parliament of New South Wales, passed in the thirty-fifth year of the reign of her present Majesty, intituled, the "Imported Stock Act of 1871," and numbered six, it is enacted, that "The Governor may by proclamation in the *Government Gazette* restrict, or absolutely prohibit, for any specified time, the importation or introduction of any stock, fodder, or fittings, from any other colony or country in which there is reason to believe any infectious or contagious disease in stock exists:" And whereas there is reason to believe that the diseases known as rinderpest, and foot and mouth disease in stock, exist in almost every colony or country, other than the colonies of Western Australia, South Australia, Victoria, Queensland, Tasmania, and New Zealand: Now, therefore, I, Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor aforesaid, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby, for a period of two years from the date that this proclamation shall appear in the *London Times*, restrict, and absolutely prohibit the importation or introduction of any stock, fodder, or fittings, from any colony or country, other than from the colonies hereinbefore mentioned into any part of the colony of New South Wales, with the exception of any stock, fodder, or fittings, which may have been shipped for this colony prior to this proclamation appearing in the *London Times* as before mentioned.

HORSES FOR INDIA.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—In your issue a few weeks ago, you published a letter in which I stated, "there can be little doubt that within a short time England will largely increase her cavalry in India, and augment the number of her horse artillery, and that the demand for horses, both troopers' and gunners', would be immediate." This assertion explains the object of my present communication. By this mail an announcement has been received from the Indian Government intimating to horse breeders that for the next three years 1650 horses for army use will be purchased. I should not have troubled you with any remarks on a subject which advertising will so thoroughly ventilate, had I not observed a novel, interesting, and to us highly favourable feature in the published programme:—"Mares as well as horses will be taken, and, if the former are of a good stamp, the preference will be given to them."

Here is a 'bouleversement' of what had seemed as unchangeable as the laws of the Medes and Persians! Heretofore mares have been practically, if not completely, excluded from this market; and many regrets have been expressed in Australia on this very account. Henceforth all is changed, and mares will assume their proper value in India as elsewhere. It might have been thought that this concession to common sense would have come earlier, the more especially since the crucial experiment of Sir Henry Barkly with H.M. 15th Hussars some years ago. By order of that Commander-in-chief a hundred horses of that distinguished regiment—then mounted on entires—were cut, and sent on a march of 800 miles in competition with another squadron of entires. Stallions and geldings did their work equally well, but the question was decided in favour of the geldings, because they had been cut without reference to age, and only six months before the trial took place—thus opening the ranks to mares whenever it should be decided to exclude stallions from the service. Buyers for the East will no longer turn away from mares possessing the qualifications required in the Government advertisement; and what a feast this is to our breeders!

In the schedule of prizes offered, four of them include English stock—"Brood mares suitable for army purposes" in three, and "the best thorough-bred stallion for stud purposes," in the fourth. I, for one, should have little dread with our colonial stock in any such competition; indeed, I think the British chance of competition is chimerical. The deterioration of the English horse has just recently been made the subject of Legislative interference; and it should gladden the hearts of our men to remember what the redoubtable *Stonehenge* has recorded of the Australian horse. After eulogising the climate, and the appearance and performance of the colonial animal, he winds up with declaring his deliberate opinion that he "shortly suspects that before long we shall have to go to them to procure horses of high breeding for our studs." The remark is made in the official paper, under notice that, "the judges will be considerably guided by good measurement of girth and leg and blood, combined with power. Animals wanting such essential points will have no chance of gaining a prize;" nor will they of being purchased for any purpose. The horse I described in my former communication is in fact the very style the Indian Government are sedulously seeking for. The breeders are told that "In 1874-75 one thousand horses will be bought, in 1876 650, more or less, and the requirements of subsequent years will be made known hereafter." Thus there is no doubt of a large and permanent demand, a demand that will never cease while England holds India. An intelligent and comprehensive scheme for the immediate improvement of our breed of horses should engage the attention of our Legislature; if the Parliament of Great Britain have thought it their duty to attend to this matter, it surely behoves us to do the same—in our case the imposition of a simple tax would do all that could be needful.

But we must above all things take special care that what we send to India is thoroughly good, and is sent under the most favourable circumstances. In this, as in many other matters, we shall not be injured by attentively considering how Melbourne does her business in this department with the East. She has practically the first place in the Indian market, and she has gained this by extraordinary care in the selection of horses—by the employment of skilled agents, who visit every stud, and pay good prices for the pick of each—who attend to pedigrees—who know exactly the kind of horse that will suit, and who bring him with care to the shipping port, and see that his transport is effected under circumstances favourable to his being landed in good condition. By the adoption of this system Melbourne has gained, and will hold her place; for her buyers are with us everywhere (even, I believe, in our metropolis); and the Melbourne Indian horse trade has grown out of no peculiar advantages the sister colony possesses beyond her enterprise and care in the conduct of business.

I again assert (what has been partly realised since I last wrote to you) that there can be no question of an immense augmentation of England's cavalry and horse artillery in India; and I am still of opinion that to Australia will the Empire look for the supply that is to assist in upholding our supremacy in the East.

Patriotism, and the prospect of a paying market, yearly expanding beyond the possibility of being overcrowded, both should stimulate our breeders to the growth and training of that matchless horse which is suitable alike either for the back of the civilian or the charger of the soldier.

Yours obediently,

M. M. M.

DRY QUARTZ CRUSHING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—The article on Roelin's patent dry-crushing machine, which appeared in your issue of 15th instant, will doubtless awaken much interest in the minds of those persons who are connected with quartz reduction. I believe that observant quartz crushers in this colony will fully endorse the statement of the United States Commission, that at least one-third of the gold contained in the quartz is lost. I also believe that few mills in this colony are of such quality as to save even two-thirds of the contained gold; perhaps few of them save one-half, and many lose fully two-thirds. I could adduce many facts to prove this, but, with such a high authority as that of the United States Commission before me, this is unnecessary. Suffice it to say that the complaint is general, nay, almost universal, that quartz in bulk treated under the stampers yields far less than assays of samples, even when those samples are picked for their apparent barrenness.

Your article would lead to the supposition that M. Roelin's machine was the first attempt at dry crushing in this colony, and that totally different machinery from that now in common use is necessary for dry crushing. This is not the case.

Many of your readers will doubtless recollect the revolving machines of Mr. H. H. Hall and Mr. Macpherson, both of which machines effected dry crushing and were working at least eight years ago. I am not aware, however, that these gentlemen recognised the superior efficiency of the dry-crushing process for saving "float gold" (as that very fine gold is generally called which floats off in any running stream of water), as their machines were not accompanied, as far as I am aware, by any improved gold-separating process. Mr. Charles James Stevens, formerly of Moruya, is the person to whom I believe the credit is due of first carrying out dry crushing in this colony in a practical form, which he did five or six years ago in a battery of ten small stamps, without any other alteration than was involved in stopping off the water from the battery. I ought perhaps to observe that quartz reduction consists of two separate and distinct processes, viz.: reduction of the quartz to a powder, and the subsequent separation of the gold. Mr. Stevens' mill was not fitted with the usual appliances for separating gold, but had Wheeler's pans for amalgamation. The quartz was crushed at first with water in the battery, and the tailings were run into settling pits, whence the crushed powder was dug and thrown into the pans by manual labour. Mr. Stevens, whilst working in this manner, finding that the yield of gold was very unsatisfactory, adopted the plan of stamping dry and amalgamating, as before, in Wheeler pans. I believe that the improvement in the yield was great; I am not aware of the exact particulars, but the process was very slow indeed. At that time I was manager for a quartz mining and crushing company owning a similar mill to that of Mr. Stevens. Hearing of Mr. Stevens' results in dry crushing, I immediately tried it, and quickly improved the battery so as to enable it to crush dry as fast as it formerly crushed wet. The improvement in the yield of gold was as 42½ to 17, that is whereas I obtained 17s. worth of gold per ton by wet crushing, I succeeded in getting 42s. 6d. worth of gold per ton by dry crushing from similar quartz. Similar results were obtained in large quantities of over 50 tons at each clearing up, at the rate of 60 or 70 tons per week with ten stamps, and the total amount crushed dry by me was over 300 tons. Fully as much was also crushed dry by Mr. Stevens. There is much less manual labour in dry crushing when properly carried out, than in wet crushing. I am bound to say that it is my opinion, founded on considerable practical experience, that Wheeler's pans, which do not use a running stream of water, are by far the most efficient amalgamators that have been introduced here, when properly used. They are at present not thought much of, generally from their owners not knowing how to use them. They have been supplied with too much water, and have been allowed to grind mercury too much, and the whole bulk of the crushed quartz should be passed through them. If they are used on blanketings, or wet crushed quartz, the gold is carried off before the quartz is placed in the pans.

Having now for the first time given information publicly on dry crushing, I may be asked why I have not done so long ago. My reply is, that I found so much apathy to exist with regard to the subject that it did not appear to me prudent to do so. It is, however, a fact, that any ordinary stamping battery may be made to crush dry as well and as fast as it will with water, and at small expense in alterations. Dry crushing, however, involves a totally different method of saving gold, and I have found, as I have already said, Wheeler's pans to be by far the best machines yet known for doing this. M. Roelin seems from your article to have addressed himself almost entirely to the crushing process, and the amalgamating process, which is dismissed in but half-a-dozen lines, seems to have been thought little of. He will, however, when he has had more experience, find out that the mere crushing is quite easy, but the amalgamation is more difficult and far more important. His machine, moreover, seems only to be adapted for prospecting, and not for working large quantities. For prospecting even I think that a small single stamp and miniature Wheeler pan would be as cheap and more efficient.

I am, Sir, yours respectfully,

W. H. NASH, B.A., C.E.

P.S.—Wheeler's pans require far less water than the ordinary process—not more than one-fifth of what is commonly required. The value of the dry crushing process is much greater in treating poor quartz containing nothing but fine gold, than in the case of rich quartz containing heavy coarse gold. For dry crushing it is even less necessary than for wet crushing to burn quartz before crushing. My operations have been chiefly conducted on raw unburned quartz.

Hill End, April 18.

BAD SPELLING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—I observe from the report of the speech of the Chancellor of the Sydney University at the annual commemoration, that he mentions "bad spelling" as the chief cause of failure in the "junior public examination."

Every one who has any practical acquaintance with the state of education in this country will at once admit that this defect is very common in the class of boys in which we should least expect to find it. The subject has of necessity occupied much of my attention, and you will perhaps allow me to make a suggestion as to the means by which some improvement might be made.

In the first place, then, I look upon this matter as resting in a far greater degree with parents and with those to whom the home training of children is entrusted, than with schoolmasters, who seldom receive boys till they have formed habits of accuracy or the reverse. If a boy of twelve cannot spell, (*i.e.*), cannot *write down* correctly ordinary words, the acquisition of this power will be a very tedious and difficult matter, not to be compassed in a few months, possibly not even in a few years. The difficulty of the task to both pupil and teacher is very much increased if the age be a year or two more, though with perseverance and daily effort, and good will on both sides, much may be done. If anyone thinks I overrate the difficulty of the task, let him think of people of his acquaintance—almost every one knows such—who have raised themselves in life in spite of deficiencies of early education. These may fairly be considered persons of more than average intelligence and perseverance, and yet they very generally fail to overcome their old difficulties. In boys of the age to which I chiefly refer, the habit of misspelling is not of such long standing; but even in them it is hard to correct, when once formed. The point which is often overlooked, and which I especially wish to insist upon is this, that bad spelling arises from positive habit, and not from mere deficiency of knowledge. I am not acquainted with details of the examinations to which Mr. Deas Thomson referred, but I would almost venture to assert that a very large proportion of the mistakes were in simple words—possibly of one syllable—which it would be absurd to suppose the candidates would be unable to spell *orally*.

The fact is, spelling is very much guided by the eye, in English especially, and it is most important that the eye should be trained to recognize the correct form of each word. This can be done better at the very beginning of education, than at any other time. In this, as in some other branches of study, home-teaching is the best of all. Few boys who learn to read *well* when they are young have any difficulty in spelling afterwards. Many, however, require more than this, and in my opinion "writing from dictation" ought to be systematically practised as an important part of the daily lessons of all who are able to write. If this were done much of the difficulty would be removed, and the after work of school made far more pleasant and profitable to the pupil. If it is not done the regular "dictation work" of school, if well executed, will slowly produce an improvement; but no rapid or immediate result can be looked for, and there will almost always be a tendency to the repetition of old errors, even though they may have been pointed out and corrected, literally more than a hundred times.

In the best English schools this difficulty is not felt, though no special provision is made for teaching English spelling. It is taken for granted. It is thought that the teaching which a boy has received at home should place him above the necessity of giving time to any lesson only intended to enable him to spell. Practically the opinion is verified. The ordinary classical work, translations, exercises, &c., with now and then an English essay, are found so far efficient that a failure in spelling is, as far as I have had the opportunity of judging, quite exceptional. The boys of this country are certainly not inferior in ability to those of Great Britain, and if their education were begun a year or two earlier, and carried on with somewhat more system and regularity, the result would not so often disappoint the hopes of those interested. There are in many cases real difficulties in the way, which do not exist in the old country, but these would be overcome if it were once generally admitted that education in English spelling must begin long before the age at which most boys are sent to school.

I am not writing with the wish of avoiding the drudgery of elementary teaching. As a matter of taste I should certainly prefer to give a lecture on a Greek tragedy, or correct a "copy" of Alcaics, but I am daily more convinced that the English dictation lesson is the very last which ought to be omitted, or—which is even worse—carelessly done. I have seen the effect which it can produce in cases which at first might be considered almost hopeless. I am anxious only that the work should more generally be begun at home, before the habit of inaccuracy is formed.

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THE VOLUNTEER ENCAMPMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—The camp is broken up and I think the Government and the public ought to be proud of the Volunteer Force for the way the men bore up against the discomfort of wet clothes and downright hard work; but I wish to refer to two matters in the hope they may be remedied before the next encampment, for I trust it will now be an annual affair. The first is, the *number in the tents*; the one I occupied contained sixteen adults, from the area of which must be deducted the space for the muddy entrance. We had to lie spoon fashion and turn all together, and that combined with the steam from wet clothes hanging to the post was very trying. I should certainly like to know how many each tent ought to accommodate, as their crowded state might mitigate against the attendance at the next. The other grievance is *our shakos*, they are not adapted for rough work. When the sun was shining you might have seen many poor fellows reversing the cap that the peak might shelter the back of the head from the sun, and at night it was my lot to be one of the outlying pickets stationed a long way outside the camp, marching for two hours between two gum trees, with the pitiless rain beating on my head, and the shako having nothing to conduct the stream of water to the outside of the serviceable coat, that was considerately served out to the flying column and outlying pickets, it ran down the back of my head down the spine into my boots. This, I trust, will be speedily rectified by giving us a head dress having a peak at front and rear. All the other arrangements at the encampment were admirable, the food good and plentiful, although occasionally tents were sometimes deficient of particular things on account of the grabbing match that took place among ourselves; but that was our own fault. And I think every praise ought to be accorded to Colonel Richardson for the organization and success of the whole affair; and notwithstanding the unpropitious weather, I enjoyed it thoroughly and am ready to go to the next at any time.

Yours truly,

A COUNTRY PRIVATE.

LEARN THE LAW.—In the face of the legal maxim which requires every man to be acquainted with the law, it is astonishing how many of us neglect to master the contents of our compendious statute-book. Mr. Mortimer, the plaintiff in the case of Mortimer v. Pitt, heard the other day in the Court of Queen's Bench, has been guilty of such neglect and has suffered in consequence. It seems that Mr. Mortimer recently purchased a horse in Birmingham, and was in the act of driving it home when he was met by Mr. Pitt, who claimed the horse as his own. It had been turned out by him some time before on a common near Birmingham, from which it strayed, and was eventually caught and put in the pound. It was then advertised and cried by the town bellman, but nobody claimed it, and it was sold by auction at the Birmingham Horse Fair. The purchaser sold it again, and after several intermediate sales it had passed into Mr. Mortimer's hands. On its being claimed in the manner described, the parties went before a magistrate, who directed it to be restored to its original owner, leaving the purchaser to bring his action for it. This he did, and obtained a verdict, but the defendant, on the other hand, has moved for and obtained the entry of a nonsuit, on the ground that the formalities rendered necessary by statute to divest the real owner of his title had not been complied with. Mr. Mortimer thus loses both the horse and his money, but he has brought this result upon himself. What was he thinking of to forget these statutes, dating as they do from no earlier a period than the 2nd and 3rd of Philip and Mary and the 31st of Elizabeth? By the latter Act the original seller of the horse in the market ought to have come prepared with a "sufficient and credible person" to "avouch" him, and "declare his true name, surname, mystery, and dwelling place," and these particulars ought to have been entered in a book by one of the market authorities, together with the price of the horse "so far as he can understand the same." A note of this entry should then have been handed to the buyer on payment of a fee of 2d. All these formalities seem to have been unaccountably neglected. "No doubt," as the Court cheerfully remarked in the judgment, "such formalities never were observed in fact; but those who purchased horses without them must risk the consequences." No doubt, also, Mr. Mortimer, as a sub-purchaser, might have some difficulty in knowing whether they had been observed or not; but still it was his duty to ascertain this, even if it involved the preparation of an "abstract of title" by the immediate vendor.

A VERY significant statement was made at a meeting of Yorkshire steam coal proprietors. It was to the effect that the present price of steam coal at the pit bank is 16s. per ton, and that the dealers in London are pocketing on every ton of coal they sell a sum equal to, if it does not exceed, the actual cost of the coal at the pit bank. The meeting resolved that no advance should be made in the price of steam coal.

GREAT NORTHERN AND MORPETH LINES.

DOWN TRAINS.

Stations.	Mail and Pas. 1	Pas. 2	Pas. 3	Goods and Pas. 4	Goods and Pas. 5	Pas. 6
	a m	a m	a m	a m	a m	p m
Newcastle .... Dep.	7 0	...	...	9 15	...	...
Honeysuckle Point	7 5	...	...	9 20	...	...
*Hamilton	7 8	...	...	9 25	...	...
Waratah	7 15	...	...	9 45	...	...
Hexham	7 32	...	...	10 10	...	...
*Hexham Township	7 35	...	...	10 15	...	...
*Woodford	7 40	...	...	10 20	...	...
East Maitland Junction ...... Arr.	7 55	...	...	10 45	...	...
Morpeth Branch. East Maitland ...... Dep.	...	8 0	9 10	...	10 55	...
Morpeth Branch. Northumberland-street	...	8 10	9 20	...	11 7	...
Morpeth Branch. Morpeth ...... Arr.	...	8 12	9 23	...	11 10	...
East Maitland ...... Dep.	8 0	...	...	10 55	...	12 55
High-street	8 5	...	...	...	...	12 58
West Maitland ...... Arr.	8 10	...	...	11 5	...	1 3
West Maitland ...... Dep.	8 15	...	...	11 25	...	From Morpeth—See No. 5 Up.
Wollombi Road	8 20	...	...	11 30	...	
Lochinvar	8 32	...	...	p m 12 0	...	
*Allandale	8 37	...	...	12 8	...	
*Farthing's	8 47	...	...	12 30	...	
Branxton	8 55	...	...	1 10	...	
*Belford	9 5	...	...	1 25	...	
*Whittingham (late Falkner's)	9 20	...	...	1 45	...	
Singleton ...... Arr.	9 30	...	...	2 0	...	
Singleton ...... Dep.	9 40	...	...	3 0	...	
*Glennie's Creek	10 0	...	...	3 30	...	
Camberwell	10 15	...	...	3 50	...	
*Grass-tree	10 42	...	...	4 25	...	
Musclebrook ...... Arr.	10 57	...	...	4 50	...	
Musclebrook ...... Dep.	11 0	...	...	5 0	...	
Aberdeen	11 20	...	...	5 30	...	...
Scone	11 45	...	...	6 10	...	...
*Park	11 55	...	...	6 25	...	...
*Wingen	p m 12 5	...	...	6 45	...	...
*Blandford	12 30	...	...	7 25	...	...
Murrurundi ...... Arr.	12 45	...	...	8 0	...	...

Stations.	Pas. 7	Pas. 8	Pas. 9	Pas. 10	Goods and Pas. 11	Sunday Trains. Pas. 1	Pas. 2	Pas. 3	Pas. 4	Pas. 5	Pas. 6	Pas. 7	Pas. 8
	p m	p m	p m	p m	p m	a m	a m	a m	a m	p m	p m	p m	p m
Newcastle .... Dep.	12 30	3 30	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	...	2 30	...	...	...
Honeysuckle Point	12 35	3 35	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	...	2 35	...	...	...
*Hamilton	12 38	3 38	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	...	2 38	...	...	...
Waratah	12 45	3 47	...	...	...	...	...	7 15	...	2 47	...	...	...
Hexham	1 2	4 7	...	...	...	...	...	7 32	...	3 7	...	...	...
*Hexham Township	1 5	4 12	...	...	...	...	...	7 35	...	3 11	...	...	...
*Woodford	1 10	4 17	...	...	...	...	...	7 40	...	3 17	...	...	...
East Maitland Junction ...... Arr.	1 25	4 30	...	...	...	...	...	7 55	...	3 30	...	...	...
Morpeth Branch. East Maitland ...... Dep.	...	...	5 0	...	6 25	...	7 55	...	...	...	4 4	...	5 15
Morpeth Branch. Northumberland-street	...	...	5 10	...	6 37	...	8 8	...	...	...	4 12	...	5 23
Morpeth Branch. Morpeth ...... Arr.	...	...	5 13	...	6 40	...	8 10	...	...	...	4 14	...	5 25
East Maitland ...... Dep.	1 30	4 35	...	5 30	...	7 30	...	7 58	8 30	3 35	...	4 32	...
High-street	1 35	4 40	...	5 35	...	7 35	...	8 3	8 35	3 40	...	4 35	...
West Maitland ...... Arr.	1 40	4 45	...	5 45	...	7 40	...	8 8	8 40	3 45	...	4 40	...
West Maitland ...... Dep.	1 45	...	From West Maitland—See No. 7 Up.	From Morpeth—See No. 8 Up.	From West Maitland—See No. 11 Up.	From Morpeth—See No. 1 Up.	From West Maitland—See No. 2 Up.	8 12	From Morpeth—See No. 3 Up.	...	From West Maitland—See No. 6 Up.	From Morpeth—See No. 7 Up.	From West Maitland—See No. 8 Up.
Wollombi Road	1 50	...						8 15		...			
Lochinvar	2 2	...						8 28		...			
*Allandale	2 6	...						8 32		...			
*Farthing's	2 14	...						8 40		...			
Branxton	2 25	...						8 50		...			
*Belford	2 35	...						8 58		...			
*Whittingham (late Falkner's)	2 50	...						9 12		...			
Singleton ...... Arr.	3 0	...						9 20		...			
Singleton ...... Dep.	...	...						9 30		...			
*Glennie's Creek	...	...						9 50		...			
Camberwell	...	...						10 5		...			
*Grass-tree	...	...						10 32		...			
Musclebrook ...... Arr.	...	...						10 48		...			
Musclebrook ...... Dep.	...	...						10 50		...			
Aberdeen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 10	...	...	...	...	...
Scone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 35	...	...	...	...	...
*Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 45	...	...	...	...	...
*Wingen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 55	...	...	...	...	...
*Blandford	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	p m 12 20	...	...	...	...	...
Murrurundi ...... Arr.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 35	...	...	...	...	...

UP TRAINS.

Stations.	Pas. 1	Pas. 2	Mail and Pas. 3	Goods and Pas. 4	Pas. 5	Pas. 6
	a m	a m	a m	a m	p m	p m
Murrurundi ...... Dep.	...	...	4 15	...	...	...
*Blandford	...	...	4 30	...	...	...
*Wingen	...	...	4 55	...	...	...
*Park	...	...	5 5	...	...	...
Scone	...	...	5 15	...	...	...
Aberdeen	...	...	5 40	...	...	...
Musclebrook ...... Arr.	...	...	6 0	...	...	...
Musclebrook ...... Dep.	...	...	6 5	...	...	...
*Grass-tree	...	...	6 20	...	...	...
Camberwell	...	...	6 50	...	...	...
*Glennie's Creek	...	...	7 5	...	...	...
Singleton ...... Arr.	...	...	7 25	...	...	...
Singleton ...... Dep.	...	...	7 35	...	...	...
*Whittingham (late Falkner's)	...	...	7 42	...	...	...
*Belford	...	...	8 0	...	...	...
Branxton ...... Arr.	...	...	8 5	...	...	...
Branxton ...... Dep.	...	...	8 10	...	...	...
*Farthing's	...	...	8 16	...	...	...
*Allandale	...	...	8 25	...	...	...
Lochinvar	...	...	8 32	...	...	...
Wollombi Road	...	...	8 45	...	...	...
West Maitland ...... Arr.	...	...	8 50	...	...	...
West Maitland ...... Dep.	...	...	8 55	...	...	1 15
High-street	...	...	9 0	...	...	1 20
East Maitland Junction ...... Arr.	...	...	9 5	...	...	1 25
Morpeth Branch. Morpeth ...... Dep.	7 40	8 50	...	10 30	12 40	...
Morpeth Branch. Northumberland-street	7 43	8 53	...	10 33	12 43	...
Morpeth Branch. East Maitland ...... Arr.	7 53	9 3	...	10 45	12 52	...
East Maitland Junction ...... Dep.	...	...	9 10	...	Runs to W. Maitland—See No. 6 Down.	1 32
*Woodford	...	...	9 20	...		1 42
*Hexham Township	...	...	9 25	...		1 50
Hexham	...	...	9 33	...		2 0
Waratah	...	...	9 50	...		2 22
*Hamilton	...	...	9 58	...		2 30
Honeysuckle Point	...	...	10 3	...		2 37
Newcastle ...... Arr.	...	...	10 5	...		2 40

Stations.	Pas. 7	Goods and Pas. 8	Pas. 9	Goods and Pas. 10	Goods and Pas. 11	Sunday Trains. Pas. 1	Pas. 2	Pas. 3	Pas. 4	Pas. 5	Pas. 6	Pas. 7	Pas. 8
	p m	p m	p m	a m	p m	a m	a m	a m	a m	p m	p m	p m	p m
Murrurundi ...... Dep.	...	...	...	10 15	...	...	...	...	...	12 35	...	...	...
*Blandford	...	...	...	10 40	...	...	...	...	...	12 50	...	...	...
*Wingen	...	...	...	11 25	...	...	...	...	...	1 15	...	...	...
*Park	...	...	...	11 30	...	...	...	...	...	1 25	...	...	...
Scone	...	...	...	11 45	...	...	...	...	...	1 35	...	...	...
Aberdeen	...	...	...	p m 12 20	...	...	...	...	...	1 55	...	...	...
Musclebrook ...... Arr.	...	...	...	12 50	...	...	...	...	...	2 13	...	...	...
Musclebrook ...... Dep.	...	...	...	1 0	...	...	...	...	...	2 15	...	...	...
*Grass-tree	...	...	...	1 20	...	...	...	...	...	2 30	...	...	...
Camberwell	...	...	...	2 20	...	...	...	...	...	3 0	...	...	...
*Glennie's Creek	...	...	...	2 30	...	...	...	...	...	3 10	...	...	...
Singleton ...... Arr.	...	...	...	3 0	...	...	...	...	...	3 35	...	...	...
Singleton ...... Dep.	...	...	4 0	3 30	...	...	...	...	...	3 45	...	...	...
*Whittingham (late Falkner's)	...	...	4 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 52	...	...	...
*Belford	...	...	4 25	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 5	...	...	...
Branxton ...... Arr.	...	...	4 34	4 15	...	...	...	...	...	4 14	...	...	...
Branxton ...... Dep.	...	...	4 35	4 45	...	...	...	...	...	4 15	...	...	...
*Farthing's	...	...	4 41	4 57	...	...	...	...	...	4 21	...	...	...
*Allandale	...	...	4 50	5 10	...	...	...	...	...	4 30	...	...	...
Lochinvar	...	...	4 57	5 25	...	...	...	...	...	4 37	...	...	...
Wollombi Road	...	...	5 10	5 45	...	...	...	...	...	4 47	...	...	...
West Maitland ...... Arr.	...	...	5 15	5 50	...	...	...	...	...	4 52	...	...	...
West Maitland ...... Dep.	4 50	...	5 20	6 5	6 15	...	7 45	...	8 45	4 57	3 55	...	5 7
High-street	4 55	...	5 25	...	6 20	...	7 50	...	8 50	5 2	3 58	...	5 12
East Maitland Junction ...... Arr.	4 59	...	5 30	6 15	6 24	...	7 54	...	8 55	5 7	4 2	...	5 14
Morpeth Branch. Morpeth ...... Dep.	Runs to Morpeth—See No. 9 Down.	5 20	...	...	Runs to Morpeth—See No. 11 Down.	7 20	Runs to Morpeth—See No. 2 Down.	8 20	...	...	Runs to Morpeth—See No. 6 Down.	4 20	Runs to Morpeth—See No. 8 Down.
Morpeth Branch. Northumberland-street		5 25	...	...		7 22		8 22	...	...		4 22	
Morpeth Branch. East Maitland ...... Arr.		5 32	...	...		7 30		8 30	...	...		4 30	
East Maitland Junction ...... Dep.		Runs to W. Maitland—See No. 10 Down.	5 35	6 30		Runs to W. Maitland—See No. 1 Down.		Runs to W. Maitland—See No. 4 Down.	8 50	5 10		Runs to W. Maitland—See No. 7 Down.	
*Woodford			5 45	6 50					9 8	5 20			
*Hexham Township			5 53	7 0					9 15	5 24			
Hexham			6 0	7 5					9 22	5 27			
Waratah			6 15	7 30					9 42	5 40			
*Hamilton			6 22	7 45					9 52	5 50			
Honeysuckle Point			6 25	7 50					9 55	6 0			
Newcastle ...... Arr.			6 30	8 0					10 0	6 5			

Newcastle and Wallsend.—Coal trains with a passenger carriage attached, run at frequent intervals to and from Newcastle and Wallsend, about 6 a.m. to about 4 p.m. On Saturday night a passenger train leaves Newcastle for Wallsend at 10 p.m., calling at Honeysuckle Point, Hamilton, and Waratah.

* Platforms only. Trains do not stop at these unless required. Notice should be given to the guard at the previous stopping station.

Persons not intending to proceed by train are requested to keep off the platforms.

Ten minutes allowed for refreshments at Singleton.

Note.—These tables show the times at which the trains may be expected to arrive at and depart from the several stations. Every exertion will be made to ensure punctuality; but the arrival and departure of the trains at the times stated will not be guaranteed, nor will the department hold itself responsible for delay or any consequences arising therefrom.

Newcastle time is observed at all the stations.

Note.—Horses and Vehicles.—The Commissioner does not guarantee to convey horses and vehicles by passenger trains; but when practicable this will be done—those for the longest journey having the preference.

DELAGOA BAY.

(From the Spectator.)

IF the statement made by the *Telegraph* about Delagoa Bay is true, the German Chancellor has made another hit, and Lord Kimberley will have business on his hands of a very important kind. The statement is that the German Government either have purchased, or are about to purchase, the Portuguese settlements in Delagoa Bay, which would give them the sovereignty over any regions in that corner of Southern Africa not already in the possession of European Powers, and there are several *primâ facie* reasons for believing the report. The Germans, in the first place, would like a colony within a semi-tropical climate very much indeed. The Parliament of Berlin has repeatedly expressed a desire for one, and the Emperor himself is believed to be strongly moved by the vast loss which, as he considers, Germany sustains by the annual emigration to America, a movement which he vainly attempts to check by raising the railway fares and decreeing loss of status to all who avoid military duty. If he could divert this emigration to a colony of his own, it would seem to him less burdensome, more especially as colonies, in the opinion of all Continental statesmen, bring with them ships and commerce to the mother country. The selection of Delagoa Bay as the point of settlement, on the other hand, is probably due to three considerations. One is that the harbour is a splendid one, and situated almost precisely in the middle of the ordinary route for sailing ships bound to China and the far East, a part of the globe in which many Germans think they have reversionary interests. A second is that behind the bay lies a vast stretch of habitable country, in which colonization might go on to an almost indefinite extent; and a third, and most important of all, is that the Bay is a natural point of entrance from the outside world to the territories claimed by the Boer or Free Dutch States. These States have repeatedly expressed an inclination to seek support in Europe, and two years ago dispatched agents or envoys to make inquiries both at the Hague and in Berlin,—inquiries which were noted at the time by the Colonial Office. Our quarrel with them about the diamond-field, which they claimed as conquerors of the Basutos, did not diminish this readiness, which may have resulted in formal offers of allegiance to the German Emperor. If these have been made, and have been favourably regarded, then the possession of Delagoa Bay gives the German Government an immense and fertile territory, partly peopled already by men who know it well; who can, with a little assistance, defend it against all native assaults, and who accept the new dominion with willing and unforced submission. From the Bay down to Natal, to the north as far as he pleases, and to the west as far as he can penetrate, Frederick William may be lord of a splendid domain, at least as large as England, in which white men can work, and plant, and develope, as the Dutch settlers have done, all the physical qualities of Kentuckians. Where Dutchmen have thriven, Germans can thrive. There is no bigger, or braver, or, if colonial despatches may be trusted, more cruel man on earth than the free Dutch settler of South Africa, who, if this report is correct, will be shortly in correspondence with our Government of the Cape in the new character of subject of the great German Empire. As the native is pretty certain to try to play off the new Government against our own, as the Boer is savage at English interference with his slaves, and English claims to "his" diamond-fields, and as the German wherever he is struggles hard for all he deems his right, it will be well if our Colonial Office is awake, if boundaries are made pretty distinct, and if we devise for the two Colonial Governments some policy on which they may dwell side by side in peace. We should fight hard for Canada, but we do not want two Canadas on our hands, or the chance of having to resist forays in which German troops took part, and in which the sympathies of our own subjects might by possibility be divided. It is one thing to govern South Africa when we are alone on the continent, and quite another thing to let it govern itself when on its remotest frontier stands a jealous, exacting, and extremely powerful European State.

The Colonial Office will not like its new task or this consequence of its silent annexations, but there is, if Delagoa Bay has been sold, no means of avoiding a movement which, however inconvenient to ourselves, is distinctly beneficial to the world. If the Germans have the courage and the capacity and the numbers to colonise South-eastern Africa on any great scale, their enterprise is one to be welcomed by every lover of humanity. They will but take their proper place in the colonization, as they have long assumed it in the investigation of the world. Their people make splendid colonists everywhere, and have a full right to try if they cannot establish a colony for themselves, a country whither their surplus numbers may resort, carrying with them the special civilization, the language, the manners, and perhaps the political organisation of the Fatherland. A German nation in South Africa would be a lever with which to extinguish the barbarism of one-half that continent. The work is far too great for us to do alone, even if we were ready to attempt it, and there have not been of late years many signs that we are at all so ready. Of all our temperate colonies the Cape has been the one in which we have least succeeded. It has never attracted emigrants, who have preferred the less strange life of Australia, Canada, or the United States; and, after a possession of sixty years, we have still but 120,000 white subjects in South Africa, of whom only a part are British subjects by descent or birth. At our present rate of advance, it would take centuries to build in South Africa a great self-supporting State like the Canadian Dominion, and nothing as yet suggests that the rate of increase will in our time be materially accelerated. The discovery of gold in large quantities might do it, but certainly nothing else would, and even the discovery of gold might not deflect the great streams of population now flowing from Europe to America and the Pacific colonies. People are afraid of the very word "Africa," and New Zealand rises faster in a year than South Africa in a decade. We have not exactly failed, because as colonisers we never do fail; but we certainly have not succeeded sufficiently to make the means of indefinite expansion in the future either indispensable or valuable to our dominions in that quarter of the world. There is more land to be settled, more work to be done, more mineral wealth to be utilised within our own frontier than we shall see the end of in centuries, and to resist or even criticise a German colonization of territories not yet ours, merely because they may some day march with ours, would be to play the dog in the manger without even the excuse of far-sighted precaution. The case does not in any way resemble that of Pondicherry. Germany could only have asked for that colony with the intention of creating a dominion which could only be created at our expense, but we lose nothing in the settlement of Delagoa except our isolation and a future possibility of claiming more territory than, as far as observers can see, we shall ever need. There is no ground for resistance, or even, while we are strong at sea, for apprehension.

There is just one possibility which might make the transfer of Delagoa Bay very annoying to Natal, and even to settlements further South, and this remains to be considered. The Bay might be turned into a penal settlement, a change which would probably ruin the colony of Natal, or compel it to pass laws in which the Imperial Government might find constant cause of offence. Such an intention would be most annoying, unless the settlement were confined to military convicts, but it would not, that we see, offer any just ground for more than a temperate remonstrance. There has been a sort of tacit agreement among the nations of the world that penal settlements shall be established only in islands whence egress can be prevented, but this has not been observed in the French colony of Cayenne, and is not a rule upon which any power has a right to insist. That the people of Natal will be annoyed it is only natural to suppose, for the people at the Cape all but rebelled twenty years ago on less provocation; but there are no means of giving their annoyance any concrete expression, and they must, if this be the intention, accept the result of their geographical position. We would fain hope, however, that this design does not enter into German plans—though we have noted for years in Russia, Italy, and France a spread of the idea that transportation is the best alternative for death—and that Germany, if she enters Africa at all, intends to increase instead of diminishing the area of civilised government and colonization.

COUNT LAGRANGE AND THE FRENCH TURF.—The great void which was caused in French racing circles by the withdrawal of Count de Lagrange's colours from the turf (says a French journal) has been severely felt during the past season, and the announcement that the former owner of Gladiateur will ere long resume his active connection with the sport has consequently been received with no little satisfaction. It appears, indeed, that so far from having disposed of his whole stud, as was at one time thought to be the case, Count de Lagrange still possesses the great majority of the brood mares which brought so much celebrity to the establishment in Normandy, and no fewer than seven stud-horses, inclusive of Monarque, the sire of Gladiateur, and other famous racehorses, thirty-nine mares, and forty-two yearlings are in the stables and paddocks at Dangu. As the mares comprise such animals as Fille de l'Air, Etoile du Nord, Tolla, Stradella, Voyageuse, and Mdlle. de Chantilly, it is impossible to doubt that the success which was achieved by the "blue jacket and red sleeves" in the days of the Empire will be renewed when M. de Lagrange again takes an active part in racing. We are told, in fact, that the yearlings now being reared at Dangu are so promising, both in regard to breeding and appearance, that they may be counted upon to furnish several representatives who, if all goes well, will be fully able to maintain the great reputation which this stud has so long enjoyed.

A DROP of an alcoholic extract of Brazil wood produces on flour adulterated with alum a greyish blue or greyish violet spot.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—APRIL 19.

Mendoza, barque, 449 tons, Captain Howieson, from the Start Point 15th December. Dangar, Gedye, and Co., agents.

Essie Black, barque, 281 tons, Captain Sevier, from Adelaide 29th ultimo. Captain, agent.

Mary Grant, brig, 137 tons, Captain Ward, from Yankalilla 30th ultimo. Beilby and Scott, agents.

Fire King (s.), 171 tons, Captain Hersee, from the Manning River. Passengers—Mrs. Flett, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Algie, Miss Shepherd, Mrs. Whittendon, Miss Barratt, Miss Dobbins, Messrs. Flett, G. Allen, Jelly, Norton, Algie, Power, Master Hall, Master James, Master M'Diarmid, and 2 in the steerage. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

Balclutha (s.), 262 tons, Captain Durrell, from Brisbane 17th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Cameron 3 children and servant, Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Leary, Mrs. Suter, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Kellett and son, Mrs. Hewett, Mrs. Holberton, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. E. J. Wood and child, Rev. R. W. Orton, Rev. Dean Brun, Captain Chambers, Messrs. R. J. Harcourt, De Lissa, W. Smith, E. J. Mayne, Schmedt, J. C. Taylor, W. Douglas, F. W. Gurney, F. E. Salisbury, H. G. Simpson, H. Scott, R. J. Suter, F. Moffatt, J. Grimes, G. G. Corey, C. Fletcher, A. Doovey, M. F. Beatie, Anderson, W. Hill, H. M. Nelson, Kellett, W. Bell, J. Newton, W. Gogg, Hewett, E. G. Fleming, T. F. Josephson, J. W. Face, F. H. Holberton, E. J. Wood, Horn, H. Brun, J. Breen, R. Lee, Dr. M'Lean, and 37 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

John Penn (s.), 200 tons, Captain Sheed, from Eden and Merimbula 18th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Suttler, Mrs. Weran, Miss Weran, Mrs. Aldcock, Misses Silk (2), Messrs. Lorne, Nowlan, Suttler, Moore, Aldcock, Fivey, Moore, Jaggers, Rand, Silk, Kerson, Sucking, and 6 in the steerage. I. S. N. Co., agents.

Prince of Wales, schooner, 238 tons, Captain M'Kenzie, from Onkaparinga 1st instant. Lowther, agent.

APRIL 20.

Prince Alfred, barque, 161 tons, Captain Harrison, from Yankalilla 2nd instant. Captain, agent.

Ella, cutter, 16 tons, Captain Marr, returned to port. Captain, agent.

You Yangs (s.), 552 tons, Captain Clark, from Melbourne 17th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Sircom and family (3), Mrs. P. F. M'Donald and family (2), Mrs. L. H. Cohen, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Denham and family (3), Mrs. Brown, Mrs. F. Smeaton, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. J. Buncle, Mrs. Dow, Miss Dow, Miss Carne, Miss E. Carne, Miss Coglan, Miss Barry, Miss Burrow, Messrs. J. S. Bruce, Owen, Jones, A. S. King, P. C. Woodward, D. Hall, L. H. Cohen, D. M'Gregor, J. Mitchell, W. Burrow, F. Stephenson, R. Sexton, Roesler, C. Livingstone, Dawbin, J. Allen, J. Buncle, Priestman, Hart, O. Hegan, Mayor, Master Dow, and 31 in the steerage. W. H. Smith, agent.

DEPARTURES.—APRIL 19.

Rangatira (s.), for Melbourne.
Jessie Kelly, for New Caledonia.
Lord Ashley (s.), for Roper River.

APRIL 20.

Sumatra (s.), for Melbourne.

PROJECTED DEPARTURE.—APRIL 21.

Sarah Pile, for a whaling voyage.

CLEARANCES.—APRIL 19.

Curranbene, schooner, 61 tons, Captain M'Gee, for Cleveland Bay.

Sumatra, R.M.S., 2202 tons, Captain Anderson, for Galle, via Melbourne. Passengers for Southampton—Mr. J. Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Austin and son, Mr. and Mrs. G. Beer, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Marshall, Mr. A. Mackellar, Mr. and Mrs. Houghton, Mr. Mark Paine. For Brindisi—Rev. E. J. Luckie. For Venice—Messrs. D. Crombie, G. L. Golden, F. Stanger Leathes, A. E. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Hogarth, Messrs. A. F. Tooth, W. A. Fanning, J. Gallagher, S. Ryan, G. Decaux. For Malta: Mr. and Mrs. Niel Macfarlane and infant. For Bombay: Mr. H. Goodatt. For Galle: Messrs. Heelis, F. Boissier, D. W. H. Skrine. For Suez: Mr. G. Pagogni, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Carry. For Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Buckhurst, Mr. A. Stanger Leathes.

Meteor, barque, 280 tons, Captain Oliver, for Fiji. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Butters and servant, Messrs. Beaver, Permeh, O'Donnell, T. O'Connor, and 2 in the steerage.

Rangatira (s.), 460 tons, Captain Paddle, for Melbourne. Passengers—Messrs. A. Hutchinson, Weston, M. Henderson, Hickinbotham, W. C. Yuille, E. S. Chapman, N. R. D. Bond, Brown, Williamson, Johnson, and 15 in the steerage.

COASTERS INWARDS.—APRIL 19.

Star of Peace, from Terrigal, with 16,000 feet hardwood; Go-ahead, from Cape Hawke, with 9000 feet timber, 144 bags maize, 18 bags oysters; Day Dawn, Henrietta, Will Watch, from Brisbane Water, with 700 baskets shells, 38 tons limestone, 12,000 feet timber, 2000 felloes, 12,000 laths, 1000 palings; Mary Warner, from Wollongong, with 80 tons coal; Dart, Little Pet, Agnes, from Newcastle, with 430 tons coal; Collaroy (s.), from Morpeth, with 182 bales hay, 58 bags grain, 41 bags 241 cakes tin ore, 5 casks tallow, 300 hides, 7 bundles skins, 80 bags oysters, 6 bales, 4 horses, and sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—APRIL 19.

Prince Alfred, for Port Stephens; Star of Peace, for Terrigal; Dart, Mary Warner, Little Pet, Agnes, for Newcastle; Gimbola, for Wollongong; Go-ahead, for Cape Hawke; Day Dawn, Henrietta, Will Watch, for Brisbane Water; Esther, for Moruya.

IMPORTS.—APRIL 19.

Essie Black, from Adelaide: 296 tons flour, 515 quarters wheat, 4 cases fruit.

Mary Grant, from Yankalilla: 58 tons flour, 700 bags wheat.

Mendoza, from London: 40 hogsheads 250 cases beer, 68 hogsheads, Learmonth, Dickenson and Co.; 17 casks vinegar, D. J. Monk; 1 package, C. Potts; 2 packages, Parrot, Brothers; 25 packages, E. and W. Paul; 4 packages, Elvy and Co.; 16 packages paper, A. Falls; 60 bales paper, 95 packages oil stores, 60 packages, Myers and Solomon; 42 packages, N. S. Croaker and Co.; 500 cases gin, 250 cases beer, 150 casks barley, 50 packages, Parbury, Lamb and Co.; 9 packages, W. H. Paling; 17 packages, T. Innes; 20 packages, H. Woolnough and Co.; 35 barrels 100 drums pitch and tar, 44 packages, J. Keep; 63 packages, Cohen Brothers and Co.; 3 packages, Owen and Beckett; 54 packages, Jones and Co.; 77 cases vestas, 50 packages, S. Hoffnung and Co.; 1000 cases brandy, 1000 boxes candles, 400 bundles wire, 450 barrels currants, 81 cases iron, 73 hogsheads ale, 108 packages, Dangar, Gedye, and Co.; 2 casks 12 cases wine, Brown and Co.; 18 packages, W. Saber; 3 packages, E. Davis; 58 packages, D. Nichol; 120 plates 190 sheets 71 bundles iron, 18 grindstones, 5 packages, P. N. Russell and Co.; 140 packages glass, T. Edens; 15 cases powder, 10 casks dynamite; 101 packages, Lassetter and Co.; 32 packages, R. Gray; 316 packages, Rabone, Feez, and Co.; 48 packages, Dalton, Brothers; 3 packages acids, Beilby and Scott; 18,000 fire-bricks, 220 barrels powder, 641 packages, Order.

Balclutha (s.), from Brisbane: 20 bales wool, 2 bales skins, Gordon and Fox; 58 bales wool, 28 hides, Scott, Henderson, and Co.; 1 truss, 2 bags hair, 115 bundles hides, Mort and Co.; 10 hogsheads molasses, G. Wilson and Co.; 11 tons potatoes, J. Henty, 54 oz. 12 boxes gold, Bank N. S. Wales; 2 boxes gold, A. J. S. Bank; 134 bags tin ore, M'Donald; 433 bags tin ore, G. Hardy; 64 bags tin ore, W. Walker; 95 bags tin ore, H. A. Thompson; 103 bags tin ore, P. Sheridan; 67 bags tin ore, J. Hill; 84 bags tin ore, Q. and J. Steiner; 34 bags tin ore, J. Steel; 16 cases fruit, H. M'Keown; 4 cases fruit, P. James; 1 case fruit, G. Tyrell; 3 cases fruit, H. Griffiths; 8 cases fruit, H. Herrod; 2 cases fruit, Jones; 5 cases fruit, H. Hargreaves; 6 cases fruit, J. Freestone; 21 cases fruit, Woodward; 41 packages, W. Hill; 1 parcel, P. N. Russell and Co.; 3 bales skins, 8 casks tallow, 37 hides, Order.

Prince of Wales, from Adelaide: 100 tons flour, 1144 quarters wheat.

APRIL 20.

Prince Alfred, from Adelaide: 662 quarters wheat, 350 bags flour.

You Yangs (s.), from Melbourne: 1 cask grindery, 34 bags wheat, 2 cases wine, 2009 bags potatoes, 9 cases, 2 parcels, 2 cases cigars, 7 horses, 61 bales scrolls, 50 bags onions, 12 stone slabs, 4 cases corn flour, 285 bags rice, 20 chests 50 boxes tea, 5 tanks malt, 1 case glass, 2 cases granite, 3 crates cabbages, 140 packages.

EXPORTS.—APRIL 19.

Curranbene, for Cleveland Bay: 276 cases wines and spirits, 140 bags rice, 53 packages tea, 61 bags sugar, 10 bags salt, 5 cases vestas, 400 felloes, 950 spokes, 6 ovens, 58 bags bran, 28 kegs butter, 260 bags maize, 30 bags onions, 245 packages.

R. M. S. Sumatra, for Galle, via Melbourne: 9016 oz. gold, 4760 oz. silver, Bank of New South Wales; 10,000 sovereigns, Oriental Bank; 1270 sovereigns, Sun Kum On; 300 sovereigns, Tin War; 1549 sovereigns, Sun Kum Ti; 70,000 sovereigns, Commercial Bank; 1 box gold coin (£77), Royal Mint.

SHIPS' MAILS.

Mails will close at the General Post Office, as follows:—

FOR LEVUKA.—By the Duke of Edinburgh, this day, at 6 p.m.
FOR GRAFTON.—By the Agnes Irving (s.), this day, at 8 p.m.
FOR GRAFTON.—By the Helen Macgregor (s.), this day, at 8 p.m.

CUSTOM HOUSE.—Entered Outwards, April 19: Rebecca Jane, brig, 219 tons, Captain Newton, for Hongkong.

The iron barque Mendoza arrived on Saturday from London, having made the passage from the land in 124 days. This vessel was here in 1864, on which occasion she was a full-rigged ship; but as a barque she looks smarter. She left the Downs on the 11th December, and made her way down Channel against strong S.W. gales; passed the Start Point on the 15th; the wind held from the S.W. quarter until 9th January, blowing heavily the whole time; the N.E. trades proved moderate; crossed the Equator on the 23rd January, in longitude 27° W., and got the S.E. trades the same day, and carried them to latitude 23 38 S. and longitude 29 W. The meridian of the Cape of Good Hope was crossed on the 24th February, and the easting having been run down on a parallel of 39° S., with light N. and N.W. winds; passed Cape Otway on the 9th instant; on the 14th instant encountered a strong gale from E., which lasted three days. The Mendoza is consigned to Messrs. Dangar, Gedye, and Co.

The Fire King (s.), from the Manning River, crossed the bar on the 18th at 1.10 a.m., and arrived alongside the company's wharf on the 19th at 2.50 p.m. Experienced fresh S.W. wind to Newcastle, then strong southerly wind with heavy sea and rain. Cargo: 807 bags maize, 20 cases eggs, 14 coops poultry, 34 hides, 28 pigs, 6 bales tobacco, 4 casks oranges, and sundries. Passed a small steamer off Charlotte Head, bound north.

The remains of the late Captain Scott, of the ship Ascalon, were deposited in their last resting-place, in the Presbyterian Cemetery, Devonshire-street, on Saturday. The mournful cortege left the Circular Quay shortly after 3 p.m., the crews of the vessels connected with the London trade following the hearse on foot. The funeral was also attended by the captains and officers of the various ships in port, and by a large number of the mercantile community. At the grave a very impressive address was delivered by the Rev. Mr. Lewers, who was assisted by the Rev. A. Thomson.

The arrivals from Adelaide on Saturday were the Essie Black, Mary Grant, and Prince of Wales, with cargoes of breadstuffs. They all report very heavy weather from the eastward from the 14th to the 18th instant.

The cutter Ella, which left this port on the 19th instant, bound for the South Sea Islands, had to return yesterday in a leaky state. The vessel had reached about 50 miles to the N.E. when she commenced to make water to such an extent that it was only by constant bailing and pumping she was kept afloat.

The A. S. N. Co.'s steamer Balclutha left Brisbane on the 17th instant, at noon, and arrived at the Company's wharf on the 19th, at 4 p.m. She reports W. and S.W. winds to Port Stephens, and from thence strong easterly wind, with heavy head sea and violent rain squalls.

The You Yangs (s.) cleared Port Phillip Heads at 8.45 p.m. on the 17th instant; passed Wilson's Promontory at 8.15 a.m. on the 18th, rounded Gabo Island at 7.15 a.m. on the 19th, and arrived in Sydney at 10.30 a.m. on the 20th. Experienced moderate southerly winds and fine weather to Wilson's Promontory, and light E. and S.E. winds to Gabo Island, and the remainder of the passage light S.E. winds, with heavy showers of rain.

The John Penn (s.) brings up from Twofold Bay and Merimbula 19 bales wool, 6 bundles skins, 170 bags bark, 350 cases maizena, 15 kegs butter, 20 pigs, 100 cheeses, and sundries. She left Eden at 3 p.m. on the 18th, touched at Merimbula, Tathra, and Wollongong, and arrived in Sydney at 6 p.m. on the 19th instant. Experienced fresh S. and S.W. wind with rain squalls throughout the passage.

The Rangatira (s.) sailed for Melbourne at 8 p.m. on Saturday.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Sumatra left for Melbourne punctually at 11 a.m., yesterday.

NEWCASTLE.

ARRIVALS.

April 19.—Macedon (s.), Train, from Sydney.
April 19.—Blackbird (s.), Torrance, from Sydney.

DEPARTURES.

April 19.—Byron, brig, Llewellen, for New Caledonia, with 350 tons coal, 4 tons potatoes, 4 tons onions, 25,000 feet timber, 70 sheep, 10 cwt. beef, 6 kegs 2 barrels pork.
April 19.—Elanor, barque, Stephens, for Dunedin, with 550 tons coal.

COASTERS INWARDS.

April 18.—Urania, Scotia, from Sydney.
April 18.—Brilliant, Helen, from Sydney.

MELBOURNE.

ARRIVALS.

April 16.—Wildwood, from Burrard's Inlet; Wild Wave, from Maryborough; Birch Grove, from Maldon Island; Koh-i-noor, Isabella, Alcandra, from Newcastle.

DEPARTURE.

April 16.—Alice, for Newcastle.

The following is the passenger list of the Springbok, which left Port Darwin January 6 and the Roper River January 16, intending to call at Newcastle, but has not since been heard of:—Cabin—Wm. Shepherd, John Geo. Macdonald, George Deane, Mrs. Deane, Ralph Milner, Thomas Barrett, Wm. Barry, Jas. Barry, John Ashmeade, Jas. Bell, Jas. Johnston, Wm. Marshall, Thos. Bennett, John Birch, Daniel Grant, Jas. Jacobs, D. Daniel, Dalyotto Peters, W. E. Adcock, Thos. Pitman, J. H. Lawrie. Steerage—John Haines, Henry Haines, George Mallonship, Samuel Saltmarsh, Geo. Dodds, Jas. Hagg, Joseph Lepene Henricksen, Lawrence Savage, Walter Woodard, Samuel Merridan, James Gillespie, Rudolph Tohner, James Burton, R. G. M. Gam, James Ryan, Donald Mackay, David Stutridge, John Allingham, Charles Dineen, Henry Lawrence, Frank Walker, Richard Woodcock, Frederick Suhl, William Honor, Daniel Fielding, Thomas Fielding, Thomas Williams, R. Sefton, Archibald Black, John Turner, Henry Newman, John Dohrmman, H. Hohren, Thomas Sergeant, Edward Hill, John Ball, W. T. Aleat, John Dimon, Frederick Johnson, Charles Abrahams, N. Abrahams, Michael Sweeney, T. Brown, John Clarke, John Swein, Joseph Oliph, Harry Marshall, J. Tenny, J. Munro, Rudolph Falkner, J. Henburry, and nine of the crew. The vessel had no chief mate and no doctor on board. She was provisioned on a moderate scale for 60 days.—*Argus*.

ADELAIDE.

DEPARTURE.

April 15.—George F. Treat, for London.

VESSELS IN HARBOUR.

[The following list does not include colonial steamers or coasters.]

Ann Duthie, ship, 994, Birnie, at Circular Wharf, Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., agents. Discharging, and for London.
Agate, barque, 420, Ballard, at Cuthbert's Wharf, Captain, agent. Repairing.
Alexander Duthie, ship, 1159, Norrie, at Circular Wharf, Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., agents. For London.
Ascalon, ship, 1090, Scott, at Circular Wharf, Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., agents.
Australasian Packet, barque, 182, Hovell, in Darling Harbour, J. Brown, agent.
Botanist, ship, 1160, Longridge, at Circular Wharf, Dangar Gedye, and Co., Smith, Brothers, agents. For London.
Damascus, ship, 964, Ross, at Circular Wharf, Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., agents. For London.
Ellen Morris, brig, 193, Howard, at Circular Wharf, Montefiore and Montefiore, agents. For Noumea.
England, ship, 862, Harrington, at Cuthbert's Wharf, Towns and Co., agents. Refitting.
Far Away, barque, 411, Hendreen, at Towns's Wharf, Towns and Co., agents.
H.M.S. Clio, 21 guns, Commodore Stirling, in Farm Cove.
H.M.S. Conflict, 1 gun, in Farm Cove.
H.M.S. Sandfly, 1 gun, in Farm Cove.
H.M.S. Beagle, 1 gun, in Farm Cove.
H.M.S. Renard, 1 gun, in Farm Cove.
Lady Bowen, barque, 780, Tucker, at Rountree's Wharf, Towns and Co., agents. Refitting.
Lucy, schooner, 66, Ormiston, at Campbell's Wharf, Campbell and Co., agents.
Malcolm, schooner, 182, Langworthy, in Darling Harbour, Captain, agent.
Meteor, barque, 280, Oliver, at Cosmopolitan Wharf, Rabone, Feez, agents. For Fiji.
Melanie, schooner, 150, M'Ausland, in Farm Cove, Towns and Co., agents.
Mendoza, barque, 449, Howieson, in the Stream, Dangar, Gedye, and Co., agents.
Moravian, ship, 968, Ayling, at Circular Wharf, Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., agents. For London.
Nukalau, schooner, 64, Wolsch, in Darling Harbour, Biffin and Clarke, agents.
Onward, ship, 606, Stimson, at Parbury's Wharf, Smith, Brothers, and Co., agents. For Hongkong.
Otto Antonie, ship, 1137, Gunderson, at Cuthbert's Wharf, Captain, agent.
Rebecca Jane, brig, 217, Cooper, at Patent Slip Wharf, G. A. Lloyd and Co., agents.
Reconnaissance, barque, 268, Watson, in the Cove, Captain, agent.
Scotsman, brig, 210, Hamilton, at Cosmopolitan Wharf, T. and J. Skinner, agents. For sale.
Shahpore, ship, 1496, Libon, at Circular Wharf, Learmonth, Dickinson, and Co., agents.
Signal, barque, 491, Whitney, at Towns's Wharf, R. Towns and Co., agents.
Sumatra (s.), 2202, Anderson, off Moore's Wharf, H. Moore, agent. For Galle.
Windsor Castle, ship, 1020, Cargill, at Circular Wharf, Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., agents. For London.
Woodbine, barque, 252, Edmonds, at Smith's Wharf, J. Merriman, agent.
Gleaner, schooner, 45, Bowman, at Towns' Wharf, Towns and Co., agents.
Duke of Edinburgh (s.), 340, Skinner, at Market Wharf, E. Vickery, agent, for Levuka.
Circe, schooner, 150, Ellis, at Campbell's Wharf, Parbury, Lamb, and Co., agents. For Rockhampton.

VESSELS EXPECTED IN SYDNEY.

FROM LONDON.

Aviemore, 1091, Ayling.
Berkshire, 1472, Cammell, January 23. Sailed.
British King, 1581, Jenkinson, January 29. Sailed.
British Commodore, Quinn, December 11. Sailed.
Clara, 930, February 17. Sailed.
Cospatrick, 1200, Elmslie.
Duke of Sutherland, 1047, Loutitt.
Douglas Castle, 678, February 8. Sailed.
Doune Castle, 886, Erskine, January 5. Sailed.
Dunbar Castle, 924, Carvosso, February 11. Sailed.
Durham, 1286.
Essex, 1255, Hodder, February 17. Sailed.
Falcon, 793, Dunn.
Forfarshire, 1238, Doughty.
Harlaw, 894, Phillips, February 1. Sailed.
Hallowe'en, 920, Watt.
Hawkesbury, Sayers.
Kosciusko, Lawson.
Leicester, 1309, Caddy.
Leucadia, 896, Mearns, January 11. Sailed.
Lord Ashburton, 879, Holderness, January 7. Sailed.
Malwa (s.), February 12. Sailed.
Merwanjee Framjee, 1079.
Nineveh, 1174, Barnett, February 7. Sailed.
Northampton, 1161, Barclay, January 26. Sailed.
Peterborough, Orchard.
Queen of Nations, 846, Donald.
Rifleman, 718, Longmuir, January 1. Sailed.
Scythia, 886.
Star of the South, 665, Smith.
Thyatira, M'Kay.
Wave of Life, Perrett.
Zenobia, 1145, Hutchings.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Cicero.
Evelyn, 1178, February 3.
Oriflamme, 1417, Hughes, December 17. Sailed.

FROM THE CLYDE.

Isle of Anglesea, 700, January 25. Sailed.

FROM NEW YORK.

Anglo-Saxon.
Roslyn Castle, February 13. Sailed.
Thames, December 31. Sailed.

FROM BOSTON.

Montana, January 26. Sailed, via Melbourne.

FROM HONGKONG.

Europe, February 16. Sailed.
Florence Nightingale, 460, Cameron.
Reniere.
Lady Franklin, 300, Geise, January 29. Sailed.

FROM CALCUTTA.

Brewster.

FROM COLOMBO.

Tasso, 264, Fox.

FROM SAIGON.

Resolution.

FROM MAURITIUS.

Arthur.
Charles.
Monsoon.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

GRAFTON.

ARRIVAL.

April 19.—New England (s.), from Sydney.

BRISBANE.

ARRIVAL.

April 18.—City of Brisbane (s.), from Sydney.

DEPARTURE.

April 18.—James Paterson (s.), for Rockhampton.

MELBOURNE.

ARRIVALS.

April 18.—Orne, from Brest; Wolverine, from Liverpool; Alcedas, from Hamburgh; Alhambra (s.), from New Zealand.

DEPARTURES.

April 18.—Craig Ellachie, for Newcastle; Erie, for London.

ADELAIDE.

DEPARTURE.

April 18.—Talisman, for London.
April 19.—England's Glory, Nevada, for London.

SYDNEY HEADS.

	TIME.	WINDS.	REMARKS.
April 19.	8.30 a.m.	S.W.	Light, and raining.
	Noon.	S.	Moderate, and ditto.
	5 p.m.	S.E.	Ditto, and ditto.
April 20.	8 30 a.m.	S.W.	Light, and cloudy.
	Noon.	S.E.	Mod., and showery.
	5 p.m.	S.E.	Light, and cloudy.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Thoroughbred and other Horses, &c.
HAWKES AND WRIGHT.—At their Yards, at 11.30, Horses, Vehicles, Harness, Saddlery, &c.
W. FULLAGAR.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.
G. M. PITT.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep.
HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep.
H. W. BLOMFIELD.—At Hawkes and Wright's Yards, at 2.30, Thoroughbred Horses, Saddles, Bridles, Clothing, &c.
H. D. COCKBURN.—At his Mart, at 11, Unfinished Work, Timber, Furniture, and Sundries.
G. WELLS.—On Roddam's Wharf, at 10, Oaten Hay.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, AND LAMB.—At their Rooms, at 11, Limoges Porcelain.
M. MOLONY.—At his Rooms, at 11, Boots and Shoes; at 12.30, Grindery.
H. VAUGHAN.—At the premises, next Vickery's, Pitt-street, at 12, Building Materials.
LISTER AND GRISDALE.—At their Rooms, at 11, Unredeemed Pledges.
R. F. STUBBS AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Turps, Oil, Varnish, Tar, Canvas, Woolpacks, Twine, Galvanized Piping, Flour, Cement, Tin Ore; Machinery, Plant, Lease of Boorak Consols Quartz Mining Company.
ELLIS AND CO.—At their Depot, at 11, Fat Turkeys.
MORT AND CO.—At their Produce Stores, at 11.30, Portion of the Wreck of the Polmaise; also Muntz Metal, Force Pump, Beam Scales.
A. MOORE AND CO.—At their Mart, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects, Chaffcutters, Mangles, Shop-fittings, Doors, Sashes, Spring-carts, &c.

ASSAULTING A WITNESS.—A young man named Wolter received a sentence of two months' hard labour from the Brisbane Bench for assaulting a witness who had been summoned to give evidence in a licensing case. The case was tried on Wednesday last, and the assault was thus described by the complainant:—"A man named Price, after witness had been hit, got up and put his arms round his body, so that he could not use his hands; and in this position young Wolter maltreated him, while Mrs. Wolter seized him by the hair, and Miss Wolter kicked him. This treatment caused him to 'sing out.'"

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, SYDNEY.

Latitude 33° 51' 41". Longitude 10h. 4m. 49s.
Magnetic variation 9° 33' 33" East. 10th March, 1873.
The time ball is dropped daily (Sunday excepted), at 1 p.m. Sydney mean time, or 2h. 55m. 14s. a.m., Greenwich mean time.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

Barometers corrected to 32° Faht., and to mean sea level.
Velocity of wind, measured in miles per hour, and the force in lbs. on the square foot, deduced from velocity.
Rainfall and evaporation measured in inches.
Scales of { Humidity, 0 to 100. Cloudy sky 0 to 10. Ozone, 0 to 10.

APRIL 19, 1873. CIVIL RECKONING.

Hour.	Barometer.	Temperature in Shade.	Humidity.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity.	Wind. Force.	Cloudy sky.	Rain.	Ozone.
A.M. 9	29·724	62·3	82	W.	5	0·1	10	0 02	7·0
P.M. 3	·780	63·4	80	S.	14	1·0	10		
9	·779	61·3	92	W.S.W.	10	0·5	6		6·0
Mean ...	29 734	62·3	84·7		9	0 5	8·7		6·5

Evaporation in 24 hours, 0·017.

SELF-REGISTERING THERMOMETERS.

Shade { Maximum .... 67·7 | Sun—maximum ...... 100·6
Shade { Minimum .... 59·3 | Grass—minimum...... 52·7

Thermometer with black bulb in black wool, and protected from wind, maximum 131 6 at —

Temperature of sea water, 3 feet below the surface, at Fort Denison, at 9 a.m., 66·8.

Total rainfall from January 1 to April 19, 29·129 inches.

Average rainfall of previous 14 years for period January 1 to April 1, 15·977 inches.

Average annual rainfall of the preceding 14 years = 50·071 inches.

METEOROLOGICAL STATIONS.

Arranged in order of latitude, with distance from the coast, and height above sea, where it is known.

Only thirteen of the stations have barometers and hygrometers.

STATIONS.	Least distance from East Coast in miles.	Height above sea, in feet.	At 9 A.M.—April 19, 1873. Barometer.	Temper. in shade.	Humidity.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Force.	For 24 hours previous to 9 a.m. Maximum.	Minimum.	Rain in inches.
TENTERF'LD	80		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	66·1	43·0	0
GRAFTON ...	22		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	79·1	70·2	0
NARRABRI...	196		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	80·9	41·5	0·03
ARMIDALE..	80	3278	—	53·7	—	E.	1·0	59·7	47·4	0·27
PT. MCQUARIE	1		—	—	—	SW.	1·0	56·3	54·4	0·20
MUR'RUNDI.	94	1545	—	—	—	N.	1·0	64·6	50·8	0
CASSILIS ..	120		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	68·1	52·2	0
M'SW'LBROOK	68	475	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	73·5	54·3	0
DUBBO	182		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	67·9	53·9	0·32
MUDGEE.....	121	1500	—	—	—	W.	—	63·4	43·0	0
W. M'LAND.	18		—	—	—	SE.	4·0	—	51·5	0·37
NEWCASTLE	1	112	29·794	62·2	96	SW.	0·3	73·3	54·8	0·55
ORANGE...	124	2891	—	—	—	S.	4·0	60·4	49·5	0·02
BATHURST...	96	2200	29·848	60·0	71	SSE.	4·0	65·5	37·0	0
M. VICTORIA	61	3490	29·839	52·2	90	SW.	0·4	60·1	47·9	0·30
WOODFORD..	56	2192	29·735	55·0	—	W.	0·1	62·5	53·4	0.20
FORBES	176		—	64·0	—	SE.	—	70·2	56·1	0
PARR'M'TTA.	16		—	—	—	NW.	1·0	72·5	—	0·28
SYDNEY	5	155	29·843	60·8	92	W.	0·2	67·7	59·0	0·24
WENTWO'TH	476		—	—	—	S.	4·0	64·8	56·5	0
YOUNG	140		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	66·0	48·1	0
WOL'NO'NG.	0		—	—	—	SW.	9·0	68·4	55·7	0·15
GOULBURN...	84	2129	29·924	55·3	87	S.	0·0	68·1	31·1	0·20
WAGGA	161		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	67·1	34·9	0
C. ST. GEO...	0	170	29·796	60·6	92	S.	9·0	64·2	54·6	1.50
QUEANB'Y'N.	60		—	—	—	SSE.	—	60·2	33·1	0
DENILIQUIN.	287	410	30·145	59·0	87	Calm.	0·0	70·8	45·2	0
KIANDRA ..	88	4640	29·938	46·7	86	SE.	16·0	41·7	36·8	0·06
COOMA	52	2637	—	—	—	S.	1·0	66·6	47·8	0.13
EDEN	0	107	29·907	64·7	89	SW.	1·0	69·0	60·1	0.15

Raining at West Maitland, Wollongong, Cape St. George, and Eden. Heavy fog at Wagga Wagga.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR APRIL 21, 1873.

Object.	Rises.	Sets.	Phases of the Moon.	
	h. m.	h. m.		
SUN	6·28	5.30	First quarter	5th
MOON	—	2.1 p.m.	Full moon	13th
MERCURY ...	4 46 a.m	4.30 p.m.	Last quarter	20th
VENUS	8 35 a.m	6.9 p.m.	New moon	27th
MARS	5 55 p.m.	7.9 a.m.		
JUPITER	2 23 p.m	12.55 a.m.	Moon's age, 23.6 days.	
SATURN	11 23 p.m.	1.15 p.m.		

MOON.—G. N. Declination, 4th; in Equator, 12th; G. S. Declination, 19th; in Equator 25th; Apogee, 8th; Perigee, 24th.

High water at Fort Denison, a.m., 3h. 30m.; p.m., 4h. 11m.

H. C. RUSSELL, Government Astronomer.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Attention to the following rules will save the writers of correspondence a good deal of trouble. We cannot undertake to return rejected communications. No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whatever is intended for insertion in this journal must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

MONDAY, APRIL 21, 1873.

THE Assembly having passed the bill for arranging with Victoria the Border Customs difficulty, the Legislative Council can hardly be expected to repeat its former experiment and reject it. The decided majority by which the bill has been carried, after a full debate in which all the objections to the measure were fairly and forcibly urged, must satisfy the Council as to what is the will of the people. That will has now been expressed, first directly, at a general election, and then in two successive sessions of Parliament.

Considerable confusion of thought has been caused by very positive statements made by Sir JAMES MARTIN and others to the effect that under the late agreement Victoria handed over to this colony £60,000 a year net. On the strength of this assertion it has been attempted to show that under the new agreement Victoria will not pay more than before. This statement made, though very positive, is incorrect. Victoria has never paid £60,000 a year net. It has credited itself with the amounts due to it under the agreement, and paid over the balance. The actual receipts from Victoria during five successive years have been as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
1868	£55,661	12	8
1869	38,861	11	9
1870	49,099	3	7
1871	36,262	1	5
1872	4,643	7	9
Total	£184,527	17	2

In round numbers, therefore, the Victorian contribution for four years was £180,000, or at the rate of £45,000 a year.

The duties collected in South Australia on behalf of this colony, from 1867 to 1872, amounted to £46,846 9s. 3d., from which there is a deduction of five per cent. for the cost of collection, amounting to £2342 7s., leaving a net receipt from this quarter of £44,504 2s. 3d.

Under the new agreement, New South Wales will receive a gross sum of £75,000, of which £7000 will be returned to Victoria, to represent the duty on our wine and wheat crossing the frontier. This will leave a balance of £68,000, of which South Australia agrees to furnish £13,500. It is clear, therefore, that this colony will receive more under the new arrangement than it did under the old. It will get a net of £68,000 a year, whereas before it did not get £55,000.

Though the receipt, however, will be improved, it naturally fails to satisfy those who think it ought to be more. The expectation has probably been pretty general that £100,000 would not really be more than our due. But then, in intercolonial negotiations of this character, we can hardly expect Victoria to accept our impressions and expectations. We have been challenged to the proof, and indeed we have somewhat imperiously and ostentatiously offered to furnish it; and the result has fallen somewhat short of what we expected. We have collected the duties by our own officers for twelve months, and the sum has only amounted to £73,000. Mr. ROBERTSON indeed brings it up to the round-figured total by asserting that goods representing duties to the amount of £27,000, and which would otherwise have been forwarded by Melbourne, had been sent overland from Sydney. But this calculation is guesswork, and there is no possibility of proving it. We cannot put forward as a diplomatic argument a statement which cannot be supported by adequate facts and figures. It is also no doubt true that the Border receipts in the early months of last year were less than they would have been if goods had not been rushed across in anticipation of a change of policy. But here again we are unable to do more than make a general statement. The year's experience would probably have been pretty nearly correct had the transit of goods simply been registered. If, instead of abruptly breaking with Victoria, the late Government had made a treaty for a year, in virtue of which officers from both colonies should register all dutiable goods crossing the frontier, there would have been no inducement for any variation in the usual trade, and we might have had a result which was a pretty close approximation to the actual truth. As, however, it was the action of this colony which prevented such a state of things, we cannot complain of its non-existence. The late Government wanted a year's actual collection, in the confident expectation that it would prove their claim to be well-founded. It has not furnished that proof, and we are hardly in a position to complain of a test which was one of our own proposing and enforcing.

Looking, however, to the future, there seems no sufficient reason why the same element of doubt and dissatisfaction should enter into subsequent calculations. The proposed agreement will not last more than three years, and as nobody now expects federation within that time, it will have to be renewed. The bill, therefore, might provide that during the last twelve months a strict record should be kept, under mutual supervision, of all dutiable goods crossing the frontier. The hardship to the settlers would be very slight, and would doubtless be willingly accepted as a step towards the continuation of Border free-trade; and with the figures before us of a year's traffic unswayed by any disturbing causes, we should be in a position to name a lump sum which would be fair to both parties.

Meanwhile our Government, which we may assume is in all sincerity desirous of terminating the present state of things, can only act on the evidence produced. We have its assurance that the amount asked for and conceded is a reasonably fair one, and the evidence on which this opinion is based has been laid before the Assembly. We are hardly therefore in a position to stipulate for more. The most objectionable item in the calculation is doubtless the £7000 which has to be paid to Victoria to represent its taxes on our produce, because this is a payment which is not a repayment. All that Victoria gives to us it has first received, and the payment is simply a refund; but, when we pay over duties leviable on our own produce, we pay what we have never received, and the amount is simply a deduction from our own revenue. Against that, however, we must set the fact that we escape the cost of collecting Border duties; and, what is still more important, we avoid the irritation which the collection of duties causes amongst the Border population. We cannot at present have a Customs Union, or even a common tariff, and we must therefore be content with the best arrangement which circumstances make available. It is not perfectly satisfactory; we may, perhaps, lose a little revenue by it, and it is open, no doubt, to the objection which Mr. ROBERTSON has so strongly pressed—of giving intercolonial free trade to one set of our producers and not to another; but we have only before us the choice of alternatives, and it is the wisdom of statesmen to choose the less evil of the two.

THE Report of the Inspector of Live Stock informs us that the sheep of the colony have increased from 16,766,012 in 1870-71 to 17,873,696 last year. This is good news, and is opportune to the Agricultural Society's Exhibition—especially to the section of it wherein wool is classed. What influence the Society may have in bringing about this result it would be impossible to determine. We can only say that the course pursued by the Society should have increased the numbers of sheep and also their quality. The object in holding an annual display of fleeces in a central place like Sydney is that the growers should have an opportunity to compare the growth of wool under various circumstances, and confer with each other freely upon all matters concerning their occupation. It is of considerable importance, also, in another respect. A show where all the varieties of the wool of the colonies are grouped for the leisurely inspection of the buyer must facilitate trade. It is therefore for the interests of all parties that it should be maintained; and in time, as it gathers strength and becomes known, it will be attended much more largely by exhibitors and buyers. To the latter it will afford an earlier and a better idea of the year's clip than can be gained from other sources (the possibility of making comparisons otherwise being out of the question); and even should the buyers not attend personally, or through their agents, they will be careful to possess themselves of the catalogues of the exhibits and the award sheet. Thus the Sydney show may obtain an importance of which the growers have at present no notion whatever. Great and persevering efforts have been made to arrive at a scientific and practicable classification of merino wool, according to soil and climate. It seems to be the result of the wisdom of the woolgrowers, who have been convened again and again to debate the subject. This classification, together with samples illustrating it, and a map which gives clearness to the climate and geographical divisions effected, has gone forth, first to the Chambers of Commerce throughout the Woollen Districts in England, and the Brokers of London, and has received their approval; and next to the Chambers of Commerce in New York, and the Bureau of Agriculture at Washington. It has been forwarded, also through the Consuls for those countries, to France, Germany, and Italy, for the purpose of being laid before the manufacturers there, to give them a clear notion of what the Australian wools are like. Had the Society done nothing more to advance the Agricultural Interest in this colony—nay it may be said in these colonies—she has done enough in this respects to merit the good opinion of the country whose largest export is wool.

It is much to be regretted that the woolgrowers do not sufficiently perceive what this annual wool show will come to if supported with spirit. They now allow any trifling accident, any petty jealousy to stand in the way. Each one, intent upon his own little sphere, fails to see the advantage to be derived from a wide and striking co-operation such as this, because the profit does not lie immediately under the shilling that it costs him. It is the same in this as in other matters. Men cannot be made to see that timely union for some great object will serve them occasionally better than the most abstracted attention to personal affairs. A man's success in business as a producer depends not only upon production. He must sell his produce, and should therefore attend to his market. In this market he stands as a competitor, and should therefore devise the most ready and satisfactory means of ascertaining what position he occupies in the race, and how it may be improved. Probably the same description of wool as he grows is grown in some other district at less cost than he can grow it. It is of evident importance to him to know why; and where can he so easily get an answer to this and the multitude of similar questions that arise to a man while prosecuting his business in solitude, as at a wool show, where the opportunity is allowed for his observant faculty to work fully and freely? Had the woolgrowers been in lively co-operation, is it likely that the brokers and their near clients, the buyers, would have obtained so great an advantage over them as they have done, and which now necessitates the employment of such championship as Sir DANIEL COOPER's, who is not a woolgrower? By no means; and owing to the same supineness, the doughty knight, although he has worked well to discover and lay bare what is wrong, will, we doubt not, cry in vain to his clients in the pastoral districts of Australia to put it right.

The exhibitors who show this year are few in number in comparison with what they should be. Some of the leading stud flocks are quite unrepresented. Several districts have failed to put in an exhibit. Jealousies and indolence have been allowed to interfere. In 1871 the judges were instructed to judge by points. Had this system of making the awards continued, the wool-growers might have had cause to abstain from exhibiting; but it was abolished. Judges are left perfectly free to show the grounds of their opinion or not. When the wool-show was first held there was no classification as to districts. The combing wool of Mudgee was pitted against that of the salt-bush. In consequence none but the growers of the finest wool would compete, and the show became a mere magnification of the merits of Mudgee wool. Growers less favourably situated refused to appear. It became evident that the colony should be thrown into districts, the growers therein competing together, and not, except they pleased to engage in the challenge lists, against growers having the odds in their favour. This was consequently done, and had the effect of bringing out a great many exhibitors never seen before, and increasing the show; but now the Mudgee breeders refuse to appear in competition with each other; they object not to be seen dominating in every class, and fail to be content with an arrangement which in itself is the best possible avowal of their superiority. Let every man consider within himself how much he stands in his own light by abstaining from giving his hearty concurrence to an object which, if well sustained, cannot fail to be of the greatest good to the colony.

The report to which a passing reference has been made is satisfactory in other respects. The flocks are free from scab, and from all epidemics. Considerable improvement is observable in the quality of sheep throughout the colony, which evinces greater attention to the principles of breeding. The inspectors report the clip as being very good, both as regards quantity and quality. It is well grown, and thoroughly sound. The average weight of the clip throughout the whole of the colony is of greasy wool 4 lbs. 12 oz., and of washed 2 lbs. 14 oz. The list of importations also shows a great influx of coarse-wool sheep. It is a noticeable fact that these Leicester and Lincoln sheep are in the possession of farmers in the County of Cumberland, who are combining sheep farming with arable culture, which is sensible of them. These sheep appear admirably adapted, as the Inspector says, for producing lambs and wool. They produce fleeces weighing, when washed, from 5 lbs. to 7 lbs. each, which fetch from eighteen to twenty-four pence a pound; and lambs at four months old weighing from forty to fifty pounds each.

DISTRICT COURT.—Causes for Monday, 21st April.—Garrett v. Peters, part heard; Ryan v. Ryan, Coates v. Healey, Freeman v. Quayle, Peters v. Gordon.

THE UNIVERSITY.—At a Convocation holden at the University, on Saturday, the 19th instant, the Hon. W. B. Dalley was unanimously elected a Fellow of the Senate in the room of the late Mr. N. D. Stenhouse, M.A.

FIRE.—About 10 o'clock last Saturday evening, it was discovered that a fire had broken out in the cellar of the shop occupied by Mr. Maddock, bookseller, George-street. It was promptly extinguished with a hand-pump, by a member of the Insurance Fire Brigade. It appeared that a boy had left a candle in the cellar, which he had fixed in a wooden stand, which was fired on the candle burning down to it.

THE ACADEMY'S PICTURES, &C.—In the concluding notice of the pictures of the Academy of Art appearing in the *Herald* of Saturday last, it was erroneously assumed that the judges had not fully recognized the merit of Mr. G. P. Slade's six pictures, Nos. 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, and 54. It appears that the judges *did* award, for one and all of Mr. Slade's drawings, a certificate of merit, but that—as the honour-giving ticket was only affixed to one of them, a water-colour drawing on the transverse stand at the upper end of the room—the important notification was overlooked. Neither time nor space have hitherto permitted full descriptions of the very numerous water-colour drawings at the Academy's exhibition—a large proportion of which will, it is understood, be again presented at the Agricultural Society's Exhibition, to be opened in Prince Alfred Park to-morrow. It is right, however, to observe that Nos. 80 and 81 (by Mr. G. F. Halstead), and "The Supreme Court at Auckland, N. Z." (No. 90, by Mr. Edward Rumsay) have been particularly admired by visitors. "Pleasing Thoughts," a bust in plaster (by Mr. J. S. Mackennal, modeller, of Victoria) is an original competitive cast of singular merit, and was the sole one of the kind in the Exhibition. There were likewise two clever pencil drawings by the Misses Wildman, and a lion's head ably modelled in wax by Master J. W. May (an amateur) residing at Randwick. The same young gentleman exhibited a bust (deftly modelled in wax by Mr. W. Wright) of the Hon. Henry Parkes, M.L.A., presenting a very fair likeness of the Premier, who found leisure at a busy time to attend at the opening of this unpretentious exhibition of colonial art. Last (not least) there was a framed copy of the Academy's "Certificate of Merit," so ably designed by Mr. W. Cave Thomas, of London. This was hanging on one of the pilasters of the Hall, directly opposite to Mr. John Campbell's pleasing water-colour drawing of "The Blind Beggar of Bethnal Green and his Daughter" Bessie.

DEATH FROM APOPLEXY.—On last Saturday forenoon, the City Coroner held, at the Observer Tavern, George-street North, an inquest respecting the cause of death of a man, name unknown, who had been found dead on Friday evening in Bligh-street by Mr. William Simpson. Among the witnesses examined were—Mr. Simpson, who found the body; the constable who took it to the dead house, Circular Quay, and who found thereon a number of soup kitchen tickets; and Dr. Hamilton, who gave it as his opinion that death had resulted from serous apoplexy. The jury returned a verdict in accordance with the medical testimony.

BURGLARY.—The office of the Sydney Omnibus Company, at the Railway Bridge, Parramatta-street, was broken open on the night of Monday last by burglars. The cashier, on going to the office on Tuesday morning, found the door open, and the side window broken. By this window access had evidently been obtained, the burglar afterwards opening the door from the inside. An attempt—it appeared from traces of gunpowder found on the floor and in the keyhole—had evidently been made to force the lock of the safe; but the thief, or thieves, had signally failed in their design. Twelve copper tokens placed on a "fares" sheet, to keep it from blowing away, had been appropriated, as well as copper coin in parcels to the amount of some 10s. This appears to have been the whole of the booty. This office communicates with that of the firm of Woods, Shortland, and Co., which had also been ransacked, although nothing appears to have been carried away from it by the burglars.

ST. LUKE'S, BURWOOD.—The collection at the above church, yesterday, was for the "Church Society," and not, as erroneously stated in the advertisement, for the *Choral Society*.

THE BRIDGER MEMORIAL.—We have been shown a very good photograph of the last resting-place of the late John Bridger, at Ryde. The grave has been enclosed with a substantial stone kerbing, and a neat headstone erected, bearing the following inscription:—"Sacred to the memory of John Bridger, late ward-room steward of H.M.S. Rosario, who was brutally murdered on the Parramatta River, near Ryde, March 8th, 1872, aged 25 years. 'Boast not thyself of to-morrow, for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth.'" The stonework was executed by Messrs. Davis and Ross, of George-street South, and reflects great credit upon them for their excellent workmanship. This matter was taken in hand a short time since by Mr. J. R. Moore, who solicited subscriptions for the purpose. The cost of the work, carriage to the ground, and incidental expenses, amount to about £11; the amount already subscribed, after a great deal of solicitation, does not exceed £11. Copies of the photograph may be obtained of Mr. Moore, 65, Stanley-street, for 1s.

TRENGROUSE'S PATENT FOR NARROW-GAUGE RAILWAYS.—Mr. Nicholas Trengrouse has just patented an invention to prevent the overturning of rolling stock upon narrow-gauge railways. The intention is to adapt it to a railway of an 18-inch or a wider gauge. It is proposed that the railway shall be built of hardwood tressels. The top of the longitudinal timbers on which the iron rails will be laid is to be at least eighteen inches above the surface of the ground, to allow the safety wheels of the rolling stock to pass without contact in any way. On the outside of the longitudinal timbers are attached safety wings. The rolling stock will have its safety wheels fixed so as to pass two inches beneath the under side of the safety wings, and they will only come into action when there is an inclination in the rolling stock to upset, in which case the safety wheels act upon the under side of the safety wings with an upward force, and thus prevent the bearing wheels of the rolling stock lifting off the line. When the train balances itself, the safety wheels cease to act. The inventor considers this an improvement upon the construction of the Festiniog railway, in which the safety wheels act laterally. It is proposed that the passenger carriages should have the seats back to back over the wheels, the weight being thus within the centre of gravity. As has been stated, the railway is to be built upon framed tressels, the shortest tressel to be 18 inches above the surface, and to increase in length according to the undulations of the land. The iron rails having a solid bearing throughout their whole length, are to be considerably lighter than rails laid upon sleepers. The only earthwork said to be required will be the bedding of the sole plates of the tressels; and culverts will not be required to the whole surface, the line being open. It is further claimed that fences will not be wanted, as many parts of the line would be sufficiently high for cattle to pass under, and where not so the line of itself would form a fence. The inventor estimates that the cost of constructing railways of this description would be less than one-fourth of the cost of our ordinary railways; and the rolling stock would be considerably lighter, and the wear and tear less. He further says that the line can be constructed in a curve of four chains radius, the gradients being 1 in 50. The working speed is set down at an average of 25 miles per hour, including stoppages. The plans of the invention, as well as model, are upon a scale of one inch to the foot, and Mr. Trengrouse purposes to put them on view at the Exhibition Building this week.

SMART TRAVELLING.—A professional gentleman (says the *Yass Courier*), a resident of Yass, who had been on a visit to Goulburn, and who had a business engagement to be at Binalong on Tuesday morning, left the City of the South at 5.30 on Monday evening, with a buggy and pair, and reached Yass, after resting for two hours at Benn's Frankfield Inn, at 4.30 a.m.; he left Yass on horseback at 8 a.m., was at Binalong at 11 a.m., disposed of his professional engagement satisfactorily, and was back in Yass the same evening, thus accomplishing with ease the long journey of over 110 miles within the twenty-four hours.

A ROW UNDERGROUND.—The *Ballarat Star* of Tuesday relates that an underground tussle took place between the workmen employed by the Parade and Black-hill South Extended Companies, under the following circumstances:—The rival companies are each mining on ground abutting on the south side of Dyte's parade, about a quarter of a mile to the eastward of the Eastern Railway Station. The two shafts are situated within fifty yards of each other, and both companies are driving for the same reef or gutter. Some good ground was known to exist under the centre of the Parade, a little to the eastward of the Parade Company's shaft, and for this each company has been steadily driving. The Parade Company's drives are somewhat lower than those of the rival company, and the workmen of the latter, finding the others pushing on at a good rate of speed for the disputed ground, put down a blind shaft in order to cut them off. So matters have been progressing for the past few days. At about 8 o'clock on Monday night the Parade Company's men broke through into the workings of the Black-hill South Extended Company, and then commenced the row. The Black-hill South Extended men had the advantage of position, and flooded their rivals out with water taken from the well and let down the blind shaft spoken of. Then mullock was shot down the shaft, and the Parade men were considerably bothered while endeavouring to secure their position by blocking up the shaft. Water and mullock failing to dislodge the Parade men, it would seem "stinking out" was tried, although the Extended men stoutly deny having had recourse to such means of routing their opponents. The Parade men maintain that the others used some horrible nauseous stuff, the fumes of which drove them (the Parade fellows) from the face in which they were working. During the row a tin can, like those used for varnish and paint oils, and of about half a gallon capacity, tumbled down the blind shaft from the Extended workings into the Parade drives, and was brought up the shaft of the latter company. It was nearly empty at the time, and was shown to our reporter this morning. The "stuff" contained in it seems to have been a mixture of kerosene and turpentine, judging by the smell of the can. An hour or two after midnight the police were communicated with by the Parade men, who stated that a shot had been fired, and that further outrages were threatened. The police were soon on the spot, but did not go below, as hostilities ceased on their arrival. The Parade men distinctly aver that one shot was fired with the intention of dislodging them, that they were threatened with others if they did not clear out, that noxious chemicals were used, and that the water from the mains was thrown down on them. It is but fair to state that the Extended men simply deny these statements. They admit that buckets of water, taken from the well, were poured down the blind shaft, but deny that the mains were touched. They state no chemicals were used, and that gunpowder was not thought of.

CRICKET.—A match was played on Saturday, April 12, at Balmain, between the Pyrmont Oxford C. C. and the Balmain Albion C. C., which resulted in a victory for the former by 20 runs. The highest scorer for the Oxford was R. Brown, 38, and for the Albion, Owen, 23.

THE SECOND CONCERT OF MDLLES. CLAUS AND REKEL.—The contrast between the attendance on Saturday evening at the Oddfellows' Hall and that of the previous Thursday was certainly, as regards numbers, very marked. It may, however, be attributed to the inclement weather, and to the fact also that Saturday evening is not one when those who usually support entertainments of this kind care to leave the social circle. The programme provided combined classical with popular music. We make this distinction because as a rule classical music here is not popular, nor likely to become so if those capable of interpreting it in the most finished manner are not encouraged so to do. The violin performance of Mdlle. Claus was of course the chief feature of the evening; but it may be here remarked that Mdlle. Rekel was evidently on Thursday last not heard to such advantage as on Saturday, when she sang admirably, and evinced a very artistic acquaintance with the demands of such a composer as Rossini. M. Rekel is to be complimented rather as a musician than a pianoforte soloist, and it must be borne in mind that no meretricious professor could sit down to the instrument and take his part in the "Kreutzer" Sonata, the "Appassionata" of Vieuxtemps, or perform the accompaniments with such taste as by this gentleman. The pieces selected for Mdlle. Claus required all the powers of an accomplished violinist to deal with them, and it is certain she played them magnificently. The exquisite light and shade, the purity of tone, the rapidity and distinctness of execution, and the volume of sound produced by this lady, place her, we do not hesitate to say, beyond any other soloist on the same instrument heard in Sydney; gifted with a remarkable memory, she performs without music, and has, so to speak, the subject at her fingers' ends, and is therefore not distracted by having to read while playing. The precision of time, too, proved that Mdlle. Claus is not a soloist only. In the "Tarantelle" by Daniels, she performed a whole passage in harmonics, and with such rapidity that the notes, to use a simile, "sparkled," round the instrument; it will be remembered what effect was produced by a Hungarian violinist who visited Sydney some years ago when he introduced a few harmonics in his composition, "The Bird on the Tree," a mere *bagatelle* as compared with the passage to which we have referred above. There is also a remarkable crispness in the *staccato* playing of Mdlle. Claus, produced from the wrist, and not by the ordinary method of bowing such passages; in the same piece, too, a *pizzicato* phrase of extreme difficulty was dashed off with extraordinary facility. The other pieces performed by Mdlle. Claus were Abard's "Figlia del Reggimento," and the *Andante* and variations from the Kreutzer Sonata; the applause was enthusiastic, and the fair violinist was called out after the performance of each piece. Mdlle. Rekel proved the versatility of her musical acquirements by singing in Italian, German, English, and Scotch-English. She sang the "Una Voce" in a correct but subdued manner—the florid passages clearly given, while the archness of the sprightly ward of Bartolo was not lost sight of, and added to the effect of the rendering. Mdlle. Rekel has a mobile countenance, capable of much expression, which she makes use of in a pleasing and artistic manner; this was particularly noticeable in the beautiful ballad "Far Awa'," by Henrion, and "Coming thro' the Rye." Each vocal effort received a round of applause. M. Rekel performed two of his own compositions—an arrangement of Irish airs, and a light and rather elegant trifle entitled "Berceuse." Mdlle. Claus, whose appearance in Sydney was not preceded by the customary amount of "puffing," received the medal of the Conservatoire of Paris; and in the competition she had to contest with violinists of the opposite sex. This medal is never awarded to mediocrity; the talent to obtain it must be exceptional, or it is not awarded at all. Such a certificate carries with it the stamp of ability.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS TO AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS.

RUSSIA AND PERSIA.

LONDON, APRIL 18.

NOTES have been exchanged between Persia and Russia respecting the violation of the boundary of the former Power by Russian troops during a recent skirmish with the Turcomans in the valley of Attruck. Russia admits the possibility of such violation, and promises to respect the Persian boundary from henceforth.

THE OUTWARD MAIL.

BOMBAY, APRIL 19.

The R. M. S. Bangalore arrived on the 17th instant.

AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAMS.

MELBOURNE.

SATURDAY.

The Premier has received a reply to his memorandum on the Border Duties question from Mr. Parkes, couched in no friendly terms. The matter in dispute will be considered next week, but the prospects of an early settlement of the question are not very good.

His Excellency the Governor was present at the University Commemoration to-day, and made a good speech.

The crew of the French transport L'Orme numbers 200 men. She has 37 of the Marine Artillery on board for service in New Caledonia.

William Deeper, who arrived from Sydney, on remand for bigamy, has died of apoplexy.

The Calcutta, on the voyage, fell in with an abandoned ship on the 26th December, in latitude 49·24 N., and longitude 8·7 W. The vessel appeared to be about 1000 tons burthen, with poop; her bulwarks were gone, and quantities of gear were hanging over the side, she was evidently sinking. No boats were seen; and there were no signals of distress.

The French officers visited the public institutions.

No business doing.

The ship Melpomene, on her passage here, spoke the ship British King, from London to Sydney, on March 16th, in latitude 37· N. and longitude 1·30 E.; and on April 15th, in latitude 39·9 S. and longitude 141· E., spoke the ship British Commodore, from London to Sydney, 141 days out; she had been into Monte Video.

QUEENSCLIFF.

SATURDAY.

ARRIVED.—Queen of the Sea, barque, from Mauritius.

SAILED.—Alexandra (s.), for Adelaide: Atrato (s.), for London: Claud Hamilton, for New Zealand.

ADELAIDE.

SATURDAY.

The late rains have damaged much of the wheat, which is sprouting through the bags.

Wheat is firm at 5s. 3½d. to 5s. 4d. About 700 tons of country flour sold at £12.

The kerosene experiment from Coorong caoutchouc to-day was very successful.

NEW ZEALAND.

The latest political news is that the new Ministry have been resworn, and Mr. Vogel is Premier, Mr. Fox having declined the position.

PROFESSIONAL CLAIM JUMPERS.—The efforts which are being made by a party of Ballarat speculators to "jump" certain claims at Pleasant Creek (says the *Argus*) are creating considerable consternation in that neighbourhood, and have given rise to a good deal of discussion in our columns and elsewhere. If the statements set forth by Mr. Walker and others, as well as in a memorial recently presented to the Minister of Mines, and signed by 539 residents at Stawell, are to be relied upon, and they do not seem to be controverted by anything that has been said on the other side, the action of the "jumpers" deserves to be characterised by a very harsh epithet indeed. It seems that the claims in controversy have been in the undisturbed possession of the present holders for a period of fourteen or fifteen years, and that upon each of them has been expended an amount of capital in prospecting and working ranging from £5000 to £10,000. They are mostly held it is said, by working miners, who are represented as having "spent the whole of their savings and the labour of the best part of their lives in endeavouring to prospect the ground." In some past time, however, the claimholders omitted to comply with a local by-law, and, this coming to the knowledge of certain very wide-awake speculators in Ballarat, they watched their opportunity, and as soon as gold had been struck in the contiguous Crown Cross Reef, they took steps to jump the claims referred to. But the claimholders seem to have been beforehand with the predatory interlopers; and, acting under legal advice, caused "friendly suits" to be instituted against themselves in the Warden's Court. They were thus dispossessed and repossessed, but they omitted to shift certain pegs in the manner prescribed by the local by-laws, and thus the validity of their title is once more impugned.

THE NEW CAPE LINE OF STEAMERS.—A telegram from Wellington, published in the *Otago Daily Times* of March 31, states:—The agents of Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co., of Liverpool, have made a communication to the New Zealand Government to the following effect:—Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co. are in association with others for the formation of a company to run a line of high-class full-power steamers from England to Melbourne, and submit the following proposals to the New Zealand Government:—To build six steamers of 500 horse-power each, fitted with all modern improvements and machinery, capable of running from Liverpool to Melbourne in 42 days, and having accommodation for a large number of passengers. They will leave Liverpool each month, and on arrival at Hobson's Bay they will be met by fresh steamers, conveying the immigrants for other colonies to their destination. The company will convey New Zealand passengers at a very low rate, and will return the passage money for any immigrant who leaves the ship at Hobson's Bay. It is pointed out that through passengers by this line will derive great advantages. According to a later telegram from Wellington, the New Zealand Government has had the scheme under consideration, and disapproves of it.

A COUPLE OF BRUTES.—There is no mistake about it, when the uncultivated Britain or Hibernian has brutal tendencies, he is "all out" a brute, and he usually practises in the wife beating line. On lacking a legal subject, he singles out some unfortunate wretch of the weaker sex on whom his savage nature may have full play. The *Pall Mall Gazette* gives a couple of instances in its own forcible language:—"If ever household affections and loves are graceful things, says Dickens, they are graceful in the poor. The ties that bind the wealthy and the proud to home may be forged on earth, but those which link the poor man to his humble hearth are of the fine metal and bear the stamp of heaven. The poor, however, should remember that Dickens in speaking of domestic ties made of pure metal did not allude to frying pans, which when applied by the working man on his humble hearth for the purpose of breaking his wife's head are diverted from their proper use. Mr. Patrick Hogan, who was charged at Westminster Police Court with feloniously wounding his wife with intent to do her some grievous bodily harm, seems to labour under some misapprehension on this point, and to have altogether hazy notions on the subject of domestic links. The proceedings at the Court opened with the exhibition of a broken frying-pan 'very much bent,' its grotesque appearance having been caused by the extreme violence with which it had descended on the head of Mrs. Hogan, who stated that when employed in getting her husband's supper he came home drunk and beat her about the head with the fryingpan till she became insensible. Indeed, so terrible were the blows inflicted that, according to the evidence of the house surgeon of St. George's Hospital, they put the woman's life in great jeopardy. Mr. Hogan was committed for trial, making room at the bar for Patrick Gearing, who was also sent for trial for chastising his child, Margaret, aged 10 years, with undue severity—namely, by breaking her head against the wall, kicking her, and dragging her by the hair of her head until she was so injured that the house surgeon at Westminster Hospital despaired of her life."

ACCIDENTS.—The *Clarence Examiner* relates that a man named Slade, employed at the Nymboi Bridge Works, Buccarumbi, fell from a traveller, thirty feet high. His fall was broken by a platform half-way down. Falling on his stomach, he was thrown off again, and fell to the ground on his back. Dr. Houison went out to see him on Thursday, and when he left had no reason to apprehend anything more serious than what would result from the severe bruises.—Michael Thornton, employed as a miner at Solferino, was amusing himself with a cap, used for exploding dynamite. Finding that the fuze did not ignite the cap, he caught hold of it with his left thumb and forefinger, and commenced to extract the charge with a fork. The cap exploded and blew off the tips of the thumb and forefinger of the left hand.

BRISBANE BOTANIC GARDENS.

MUCH gratification must always be felt by horticulturists, and, in fact, by the generality of visitors to the Brisbane Botanic Gardens, in noticing the results of Mr. Walter Hill's introductions from abroad in the way of plants of economic value to the colonies generally, as well as those which are ornamental and beautiful in decorating the garden or the pleasure ground. A cursory observation of them the other day afforded an opportunity of estimating the general character of the vast collection, which at every turn gladdens the eye as it roams through this beautiful garden.

Many of the citizens of Sydney are scarcely aware of the fact that many of the rare and charming plants which grace the conservatories of their own magnificent Botanic Gardens may be seen growing luxuriantly in Brisbane, and there adding to the general scenery by their foliage, flowers, or fruit, a grandeur which it would be difficult to describe. The late heavy rains have injured a considerable portion of the Brisbane Botanic Gardens, many parts of it being thoroughly saturated; and much damage, indeed, has occurred to the lovely green lawns. Upon the summit of one of these, near the curator's house, are groups of palms and cycas, the magnificence of which cannot be equalled elsewhere in the colony. Many of them are yet very young, but they already give promise of richer beauty to be developed by a more matured growth. Elais melanococca, the wine-palm, with its large bunches of delicious fruit; Elais Guineensis, Sabal Blackburniana, and Umbraculifera, with their large fan-shaped fronds; together with several species of Cocos, Phœnix, and Livistonia, are among the larger specimens; and to the left of these is another group, in which the plume palm (Cocos plumosa), towering up to 43 feet, shades with its graceful feathery fronds a collection of Cycas and Caladidozamia, which are truly interesting and pretty. Near to the conservatory, which is a neat construction, and filled with variegated foliage and ferns, a chain of ponds occurs. The gorgeous beauty of the aquatic plants contained therein, such as Nelumbium Leichardtianum, with immense red flowers and parasol-like leaves; the lovely sky-blue Nymphea, lend a charm to all around, even to the background of glossy dark green foliage in the row of noble bunya-bunya trees which decorates the banks of the river.

In the frames many new and rare plants were seen, such as Jacaranda Clousiana, which is said to surpass in magnificence the well-known Jacaranda mimosifolia; the ebony tree, Bertholletia or "Brazilian nut," Theobroma cacoa—"chocolate," ipecacuhana, as also a new species of ficus with large digitate leaves, recently found in the Solomon Islands. There were also many new fruits, including two new species of Diospyros from Java, and some young specimens of a new delicious fruit from Cardwell, named by Baron Von Mueller Davidsonia corelure. The general collection of tropical fruit trees forms one of the most interesting features of the garden. Many of these are magnificent specimens. Artocarpus integrifolia, Jack fruit of India, mangoes, anonas, achras, Diospyros, Avocado pear, and the Lichel and Longan, have been bearing fruit for years. Flacourtia sapida, from Africa, which at the present time is bearing abundantly, is little known; but its delicious flavour entitles it to a place among estimable fruits. It is about the size of a grape, and of a dark brown colour. In the vicinity of those tropical treasures is Dillwynia speciosa, a tree with lively green foliage and immense flowers, larger than those of Magnolia grandiflora. These flowers hang down from every branch, and, in their present undeveloped state, might be mistaken for fruit. The summer is generally considered to be the season for bloom, but in the Brisbane Botanic Gardens there is always an accumulated wealth of verdure and flowers. The gay Rondiletias and Bouvardias, the scarlet Ixoras and brilliant Iresine everywhere distributed, the golden yellow Allamandas, of which there are six distinct sorts, and a purple variety. These, together with a score of other ornamental plants, even at this season of the year, cause the visitor to pause in wonder and admiration at every step. We shall shortly have the pleasure of seeing the indefatigable Mr. Hill at the Exhibition, bringing with him the useful products of the colony, which he seems to pride himself in being able to benefit by developing many of its resources. Sugar, coffee, tea, spices, fruits, and cordage, &c., some of which have been manufactured by his own hands. And although he may, by his examples of increasing energy and forethought, have encouraged others to compete, he will, no doubt, carry back with him some laurel branches.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.—RANDWICK AUTUMN MEETING, 1873.

FOURTH (PLATE) DAY—SATURDAY, APRIL 19.

PATRON:—His Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, K.C.M.G., &c., &c., &c. President: The Hon. E. Deas Thomson, C.B., &c. Vice-president: Mr. Alfred Cheeke. Stewards: The Hon. W. M. Arnold, Messrs. E. K. Cox, R. Rouse, A. Thompson, H. C. Dangar. Judge: Mr. John Lackey, M.L.A. Hon. Treasurer: Mr. W. B. Walford. Handicapper: Mr. J. A. Scarr. Starter: Mr. W. Gannon. Clerk of the Course: Mr. H. D. Martyn. Secretary: Mr. T. S. Clibborn.

The weather for the Plate Day was anything but propitious. Before noon the sky became overcast with black clouds, and in a few minutes the rain came down in such heavy showers that it seemed likely that the veriest enthusiast in Turf matters would have relinquished all thoughts of visiting Randwick. But not only were the out and out Turf men undeterred by the unpleasant aspect of the weather, but a large number of persons whose sporting proclivities were of a somewhat milder description also took the road out. The 'buses found little difficulty in filling up; and before 1 o'clock several thousand people had started for Randwick. His Excellency the Governor, Lady Robinson, his Excellency Governor Du Cane, Mrs. St. John, Mr. St. John, and several other ladies and gentlemen, started from Government House in the now well-known four-in-hand drag, Sir Hercules, of course, taking the ribbons. Messrs. Cox, Terry, and Want, with their respective fours, were in close attendance, and the party reached Randwick in time to witness the first race. The rain and heavy traffic had considerably cut up the road, and the springs of the crowded 'buses were well tested in the holes and ruts. It was satisfactory to notice that there were not less than three horses to every 'bus, and in the majority of cases four, so that there were none of those unpleasant stoppages arising from the "jibbing" of over-taxed horses. At the racecourse gates the mud was something like half a foot deep, and it required most exemplary patience to wade through to the men who were eagerly waiting for the entrance fee, and at the same time to keep off the "correct card" urchins who impeded progress and liberally bespattered the public with red oily-looking mud. Despite the rain and the damp sward, the crowd on the course appeared determined to make the most of the last day. The favourite resort for those who were in search of amusement between the races was in front of the Leger and Derby stands, where several thousand people were assembled, many of whom were speculating in various ways, while others were content to look on for a time until they were in turn drawn into the vortex. The monté tables were busily engaged during the afternoon, and it was somewhat astonishing to notice how many players risked money upon the different colours until a difficulty in finding the wherewithal to keep up the excitement and interest compelled them to desist. Of course, there were confederates at each table whose stock of loose silver was inexhaustible, and who could be easily detected by the observant spectator, who saw them carelessly put down stake after stake and covertly glance at other players who were infatuated with the game. Of course, the same thing occurs at every race meeting, and no doubt will continue while so many persons are willing to purchase a little excitement at a very dear price. In front of the Derby Stand were other games of a more innocent character which appeared to attract the attention of a good many. Occasionally a heavy shower would cause a stampede in the direction of the refreshment booths, but after a time the excitement recommenced, and was kept up until another downpour compelled another retreat. The bookmakers were busy in the saddling paddock, and a considerable amount of betting took place on the Plate, which, as will be seen from the report of the race, was one of the best contests the public have seen on Randwick course for years. The run off for this event did not take place until nearly dusk, and before the majority of spectators reached Sydney it was quite dark.

As on the other days of the meeting, Mr. Gannon was most painstaking with his horses, and succeeded in getting the different fields away upon equitable terms. Seven came to the post for the Rous Handicap, and The Arrow, who was ridden with great judgment and patience by Lewis, won rather comfortably from Stanhope. Out of the score entered in the card, fifteen stripped for the Randwick Handicap, and Valentine upset the favourites, and won a pretty race by a length. The Jockey Club Plate resulted in a dead heat between Dagworth and Reprieve, after, perhaps, the finest race ever witnessed in the colonies. Mr. Cosgrove was willing that the stake should be divided, but Mr. De Mestre preferred to try again, and the final heat came off after the Forced Handicap had been decided. Both horses were most artistically ridden, and a desperate struggle gave Dagworth a victory by a short head. The greatest excitement was caused by the race, and each horse received a well-deserved ovation upon returning to the paddock. Mr. Tait having declared at Tattersall's the previous evening that, owing to the heavy state of the course, Rose d'Amour would be an uncertain starter for the Nursery Handicap, the public did not support her until it was known that she would figure at the post. Upon her appearance in the yard she was speedily installed in the position of first favourite; but the weight proved a little too much, and Master M'Grath, with whom Arkins well deserved a win, beat the flying filly by a length, after a good race. The Forced Handicap also afforded a well-contested race, and the winner turned up in Stanhope. The following is a *resumé* of the racing.

The Rous Handicap of 10 sovereigns each, half forfeit, with 100 sovereigns added, for 3 years. The second horse 20 sovereigns from the prize. 1 mile and 3 furlongs.

Mr. John Tait's b c The Arrow, 3 years, by New Warrior—Ida, 8 st 7 lbs (Lewis) 1
W. H. Hillas' br c Stanhope (late Tyrant), 3 years, by Yattendon—Vixen, 7 st 10 lbs (W. Sherringham) ... 2
R. Rouse's ch g Wanderer, 3 years, by Kingston—Ghiva, 7 st 4 lbs (Matthews) 3
J. L. Brown's blk or g c Silver Fox, 3 years, 8 st 4 lbs
A. Loder's ch c The Abbot, 3 years, 7 st 5 lbs (Thompson)
A. Town's br c Westminster, 3 years, 7 st 4 lbs (J. Sherringham)
A. Allwright's b c The Conqueror, 3 years, 6 st 9 lbs (Hurley).

Betting: 6 to 4 v. The Arrow, 5 to 2 v. Stanhope, 4 to 1 v. The Abbot, 5 to 1 each v. Westminster and Wanderer.

A capital start was effected, Silver Fox and Westminster getting a trifle the best of it. Westminster led past the stand, with The Conqueror on the outside second, and Wanderer, Silver Fox, The Arrow, The Abbot, and Stanhope in order. Wanderer went up to the Italian's brother after rounding the tan turn, and the pair went by Cutts's together with a lead of a couple of lengths of The Abbot, who led The Arrow a length, The Conqueror and Silver Fox last. At the back of the course the son of Kingston got his head in front, and he conducted Westminster by half a length up the hill, The Abbot, Stanhope, The Arrow, and The Conqueror a length away in a cluster, and Silver Fox last and beaten. The leading pair drew further away when going up the hill, and Westminster was pulling, and appeared to be going stronger than Mr. Rouse's gelding. Wanderer shook off Westminster at the home turn, and led into the straight, with Stanhope and The Arrow, who had been working their way to the front all the way round the bend, second and third. The Arrow caught Wanderer at the distance, and Stanhope, coming up on the outside, ran into second place; but, although he answered well the call made upon him, Lewis, who rode a beautiful race, landed The Arrow a comfortable winner by a length and a half, Stanhope beating Wanderer by three lengths for second place. The Abbot was fourth, Silver Fox fifth, Westminster sixth, and The Conqueror last. Time, 2 minutes 36 5-10 seconds.

The Randwick Handicap, of 8 sovereigns each, half forfeit, with 80 sovereigns added, for all horses; the second horse, 16 sovereigns from the prize. 1½ mile.

Mr. P. J. Keighran's bg Valentine, aged, by Snowden, 7 st 10 lbs (S. Davis) 1
J. Borton's Priam, 4 years, by New Warrior—Poppet, 8 st 2 lbs (Ramsey) 2
J. Tait's b c M'Callum Mohr, 3 years, by New Warrior—Rubina, 7 st (Grubb) 3
T. J. Ryan's br h Kingfisher, 5 years, 8 st 9 lbs (Halles)
G. Osborne's br m Vixen, 4 years, 8 st 2 lbs (Colley)
D. Melhado's b c Patriarch, 3 years, 8 st (Bryant)
J. Tait's b h J. L., 4 years, 7 st 8 lbs (W. Enderson)
P. Lewis's b h Pretor, aged, 7 st (Stratford)
G. Matthews's b g Index, 6 years, 7 st (J. Sherringham)
T. Ivory's b m Heiress, 4 years, 6 st 13 lbs (W. Sherringham)
T. Rutledge's b g Panic, 4 years, 7 st (J. Kean)
H. Dodds's b m Louise, 5 years, 6 st 7 lbs (Hurley)
R. Rouse's ch f Nydia, 3 years, 6 st 6½ lbs, including 2½ lbs over (Matthews)
A. Town's br m Paradise, aged, 6 st 2 lbs, including 2 lbs over (Stain)
R. Harvey's br c Nemo, 3 years, 6 st (Martineer), bolted.

Betting: 4 to 1 v. Priam, 4 to 1 v. Vixen, 5 to 1 v. Kingfisher, 6 to 1 each v. Patriarch and M'Callum Mohr, 7 to 1 v. J. L., 8 to 1 v. Valentine.

A beautiful start sent the lot away well together, Heiress in the centre, and Valentine in the middle of the course, having a slight advantage. Heiress led past the stand and round the gate turn, Index, Valentine, and Pretor following in a cluster at the head of the ruck. Here Nemo, who was running unkindly, mastered his rider, lost his place in the crowd, and soon afterwards found his way into the scrub. Heiress disappeared from the front, after passing Cutts's; and Index, closely attended on by Pretor, J. L., and Panic, raced along the far side of the course and up the hill together, four lengths in front of Patriarch, who was just clear of the others—the last of whom were Nydia and Louise. J. L. and Panic were satisfied when coming round the bend; and Valentine and Paradise ran into second and third places. The Derby corner saw the last of Index and Pretor; and Valentine turned into the straight, with Paradise, Priam, M'Callum Mohr, Vixen, and Patriarch, who came in a bunch, next. Paradise melted away at the distance, and the weight telling upon the Cup winner, she also retired from the first flight, and Priam and M'Callum Mohr followed the Victorian up the running. Priam reached his quarter when opposite the St. Leger Stand, and a fine race resulted in favour of Valentine by a length. M'Callum Mohr was third, about three lengths from Priam, and then came Patriarch, Kingfisher, and Vixen. Time, 2 minutes 18 7-10 seconds.

The Australian Jockey Club Plate of 200 sovereigns, for all horses, with a sweep of 5 sovereigns each to go to the second horse: 3 miles.

Mr. Bloomfield's br h Dagworth, 4 years, 9 st 5 lbs., by Yattendon—Nutcut (Donnelly) ... 1 1
Cosgrove's b h Reprieve, 4 years, 9 st 5 lbs, by Yattendon—Gazelle (Yeomans) ... 1 2
T. J. Ryan's b c The Ace, 4 years, 9 st 5 lbs, by Ace of Clubs—Gwendoline (Halles) ... 3
P. Glennister's b g Warrior, aged, 9 st 13 lbs (Ashworth)
G. Blake's ch h The Prophet, 4 years, 9 st 5 lbs (Ross)

Betting: 2 to 1 on The Ace, 4 to 1 each v. Warrior and Reprieve, 5 to 1 v. Dagworth, 6 to 1 v. The Prophet.

Reprieve and Warrior were the first to come to the post, and The Ace was the worst in getting on his legs. Reprieve cantered round the bend six lengths in front of The Prophet, after whom came Dagworth, Warrior, and The Ace in Indian file, with two lengths between them. Before reaching the corner Dagworth went to the fore, and led into the running by four lengths. He increased his lead at every stride, and led past the stand the first time by fifteen lengths, Warrior and Reprieve together a couple of lengths in front of the Prophet and the Ace, who were on terms. Donnelly continued to force the pace, and at the back of the course was fully twenty lengths in advance of Warrior, who was second, with Reprieve two lengths away, third, and a couple of lengths before the other two, who were still together. At the foot of the hill Donnelly took a slight pull, and The Ace ran into second place, Warrior, The Prophet, and Reprieve following in order, and separated by a length. When opposite the trainers' stand The Ace made a run at Dagworth, but the Metropolitan winner drew away again, and led round the bend by ten lengths, The Ace next, five lengths in front of the other three. The Ace got up to Dagworth when between the rails, and the pair went by the stand together, and both going very strongly, Reprieve ten lengths off, and three lengths in front of Warrior and The Prophet. The Ace stopped racing at the tan turn, and Dagworth led Reprieve ten lengths past Cutts's, The Ace, Warrior, and The Prophet next in order. Reprieve lessened the gap at the back of the course, and the pace improved; but Dagworth was still going well within himself, and led up the rise by four lengths, Reprieve leading The Ace by a little more than that distance. Here The Ace, Warrior, and The Prophet were in distress, and the two Yattendon's were left alone to fight it out. Reprieve got within a length of the leader as they swept round the bend, but Dagworth was not yet satisfied, and making another grand run turned into the straight, with four lengths the best of it. Yeomans sat down on Reprieve at the distance, and reaching Dagworth's girths half the way up the running, Donnelly was compelled to draw his whip, and a desperate and well ridden finish ensued. Reprieve gained inch by inch in the last twenty lengths, and struggling as only a racehorse can, caught Dagworth in the last stride, and made a dead heat on the post. The Ace was third, twenty lengths from the dead-heat pair, and Warrior and The Prophet were pulled off. Time, 5 minutes 57 2-10 seconds.

DECIDING HEAT.

The deciding heat was run off after the Forced Handicap, and the betting was 6 to 4 in favour of Dagworth. Reprieve jumped away first, and led into the straight by a couple of lengths, but Donnelly brought Dagworth up on the inside, and they went by the Stand together, and pulling hard. Dagworth led past Cutts's by half a length, which he increased to three after passing the seven-furlong post, but at the back of the course Reprieve went up, and the pair rattled up the hill together. When fairly at the top Dagworth again shot to the front, and led round the bend up the straight, and past the stand by three lengths. Many now thought that the Monaro colt was beaten, but Yeomans took him up to Dagworth at Cutts's, and the pace grew warmer. At the beginning of the back stretch Reprieve got his head in front, and, forcing the running, led along the far side of the course by three lengths. Dagworth came again at the hill, and was within a length of his opponents when going by the trainers' stand, but the latter came away when asked, and led round the bend by two lengths, and looking all over a winner. Dagworth made a grand charge at the home turn, and turned into the straight on Reprieve's quarter. They got on terms at the distance, and the whips were brought into play. Both horses stuck to their work right gallantly, and both riders rode desperately and with great determination, but the cracks remained locked together all the way home, Dagworth just winning the best race ever run at Randwick by a short head. Time, 5 minutes 56 3-10 seconds.

The Nursery Handicap of 10 sovereigns each, with 100 sovereigns added, for 2 years; second horse 20 sovereigns from the prize. ¾ mile.

Mr. George Hill's br or b c Master M'Grath, 2 years, by Yattendon—Miss Pitsford, 8 st 2 lbs (Brown) ... 1
J. Tait's b f Rose d'Amour, 2 years, by Fireworks—Art Union, 9 st 5 lbs (Lewis) ... 2
T. J. Ryan's ch c Benvolio, 2 years, by Peter Wilkins—Juliet, 8 st 9 lbs (Griffin) ... 3
D. Melhado's br c Kingcraft, 2 years, 8 st 2 lbs (Bryant)
J. S. Smith's b c Speculation, 2 years, 7 st 12 lbs (Colley)
E. De Mestre's b c Gladstone, 2 years, 7 st 10 lbs (J. Sherringham)
P. Lewis's ch c Kinglike, 2 years, 7 st 9 lbs (Stratford)
H. Dodds's br f (by the Barb) Emery, 2 years, 7 st 8 lbs (Davis)
J. Tait's ch f The Thorn, 2 years, 7 st 6 lbs (Grubb)
D. Melhado's b f Casuarina, 2 years, 7 st 2 lbs (Kean)
B. Richards's b f Heroine, 2 years, 7 st (W. Sherringham)
B. Lipscomb ns b c Kinlock, 2 years, 6 st 10 lbs (Matthews)
A. Allwright's br f Maritana, 2 years, 6 st 8 lbs (Hurley)
J. Shaffe ns br f Hybla, 2 years, 6 st 8 lbs (W. Enderson)
A. Towns's ch f Attraction, 2 years, 6 st 2 lbs (Stain).

Betting: 6 to 4 v. Rose d'Amour, 4 to 1 v. the Emery filly, 5 to 1 v. Benvolio, 6 to 1 v. Master M'Grath.

After a short delay, the word was given to a good start, Kingcraft, Rose d'Amour, Master M'Grath, and Kinlock getting best off, and Casuarina last. Kingcraft led up the hill, but gave way to the favourite at the bend, and the latter, Kingcraft, the Emery filly, Maritana, and Master M'Grath turned into the straight in a cluster. Once between the rails, Master M'Grath, on the outside, took command, and the Emery filly, Maritana, and Kingcraft, falling back, "The Rose" went on second. She answered Lewis's well-timed call very gamely, but the 9 st. 3 lbs. told on her at the finish, and Master M'Grath was landed a clever winner by a length. Speculation, who finished well, was fourth, and Kingcraft, Maritana, and the Emery filly came home as named. Time, 1 minute 19 2-10 seconds.

The Forced Handicap of 5 sovereigns each with 30 sovereigns added, for all winners except those of the St. Leger and 2 year-old races, for which, and all beaten horses, the entrance is optional, but acceptance obligatory. One mile and a quarter.

Mr. W. H. Hillas's b c Stanhope, 3 years, by Yattendon—Vixen, 6 st 12 lbs, including 3 lbs over, (W. Sherringham) ... 1
P. J. Keighran's b g Valentine, aged, by Snowden, 8 st 7 lbs (S. Davis) ... 2
J. Borton's b c Priam, 4 years, by New Warrior—Prophet, 8 st 2 lbs (Bryant) ... 3
S. J. Bryan's br h Kingfisher, 5 years, 8 st 12 lbs (Yeomans)
W. F. Brown's b g Cyclops, aged, 8 st 3 lbs (Ramsay)
G. Osborne's br f Vixen, 4 years, 8 st 1 lb (Colley)
P. Lewis's b h Prætor, aged, 7 st (Stratford)
A. Allright's br c The Conqueror, 3 years, 5 st 7 lbs (G. Davis).

Betting: 2 to 1 v. Priam, 3 to 1 each v. Vixen and Valentine, 4 to 1 each v. Stanhope and Prætor.

Commodore, 8 st. 10 lbs.; The Arrow, 8 st.; and Gaffer Grey, 6 st. 10 lbs.—did not accept.

Prætor and Stanhope, with Kingfisher and Valentine in attendance, led to the far side of the course with the ruck well together. Prætor died away at the home turn, and Stanhope led into the running, Valentine, Cyclops, and Priam next. Stanhope was never headed, and won a pretty good race by a little more than a length from Valentine. Priam was third, and after him came Cyclops, Prætor, The Conqueror, Vixen, and Kingfisher. Time, 2 minutes 18 7-10 seconds.

The settling over the meeting will take place to-night, at Tattersall's Hotel.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

ESTIMATE OF LOSS ABOUT £5000.

ABOUT a quarter to 11 o'clock on last Saturday night, a number of persons residing near Woolloomooloo Bay discovered that the premises between Dowling and Duke streets, occupied by Messrs. Seamer and Robertson as a moulding mill and wood-yard, were on fire. It cannot be said who was the first to discover the fire, as it must have been noticed by several persons almost simultaneously. At the fire stations in the city, the first intimation that a fire had broken out was conveyed by a glare in the direction of Woolloomooloo, and by about 11 o'clock the engines were in readiness, and on their way to the scene of the conflagration. From some parts of Sydney the ruddy glare appeared to be over the site of St. Mary's temporary Cathedral, while, as viewed from others, and more especially from Surry Hills, it seemed as if one or other of the large mansions on Potts Point or Elizabeth Bay was falling a sacrifice to the flame.

The engines were, as soon as possible after their arrival on the ground, *got to work*, and then operations, though effective, were sadly retarded by the scanty supply of water—a state of things which appears now to be the rule rather than the exception at all fires in the city and suburbs. Mr. Seamer, of the firm which owned the destroyed premises, had a hydrant, which some of the employees in the establishment (who, being resident in the neighbourhood, were quickly on the spot) attached to the main in Dowling-street, which runs alongside the moulding mill, with the view of saving some timber which was in the shed at the rear. They were disappointed on finding that there was not then sufficient water in the main to be turned to practical account. We understand that one of the city turncocks, immediately on hearing the alarm, turned the water—which had been cut off—into the Dowling-street branch main at William-street. But the pipes are old ones, and, though nominally four inches in diameter, will probably not convey, even at full pressure, more than two and a half or at most three inches of water. In consequence of this defect in the supply of fresh water the attention of the firemen on arrival was at once directed to the harbour as the only plentiful available means of supply, and a connection with the waters of the bay was quickly effected.

The people who lived in the neighbourhood promptly set to work to remove what they could from the burning building and from those buildings which had not as yet caught fire; and the result of their action, in which they were greatly aided first by the police force, who mustered in large numbers, and afterwards by the members of the salvage brigade—was the removal of a considerable quantity of pine and cedar and door and window frames to places of security.

The moulding mill, once in the occupation of Mr. William Fairfax, and once known as Fairfax's mill, was a conspicuous object in the view of the lower part of Woolloomooloo from the Domain; and the noise of the saws and other machinery at work in the interior told of the carrying on of an important industry. The building—three stories in height—was, as it has turned out, unfortunately constructed, with the exception of a gable and a low brick wall or two, of weatherboard. The material of which the building was almost wholly composed, and the nature of its contents, served to feed the flame, and aid the progress of the devouring element. It is not surprising, therefore, that within a few minutes after the fire was first observed the whole of the large building was on fire. In fact, speedy as was the arrival of the engines, considering the distance which intervened between their stations and the burning building, it was seen when they did arrive that nothing could be done to save it. Attention was therefore directed to the saving of the premises on the north—occupied by Messrs. P. J. Elliott and Co., wood merchants; those on the south which comprised the Dowling-street Wharf Hotel, occupied by Mrs. Anna Walker, and a dwelling-house tenanted by a Mr. Richardson; and those on the east, in Duke-street, consisting of five dwelling-houses. The streets which divided all these premises from the mill were so narrow that the flames were carried across them. The five residences in Duke-street were the first to take fire from the mill, and the roofs of the whole five have been more or less destroyed. The efforts of the occupants of Mr. Richardson's house to keep off the fire were persistent, and happily ultimately successful. But so intense was the heat that the whole of the woodwork on the front has been charred, and the glass in the windows broken. Had there been other than a slate roof, the damage must have been much greater. The Dowling-street Hotel, although at one time in great jeopardy, has got off comparatively scatheless. The balconies have been charred with the excessive heat.

It is exceedingly fortunate that there was but little wind at the time the fire broke out. Had there been, all the wooden buildings between the mill and the Bay must have succumbed. A breeze did spring up; but it was that evidently caused by the flames themselves, drawing in the air to support combustion.

The glare from the fire while at its height was so intense that it must have been visible for miles in all directions around the city. From Hyde Park, the outlines of the houses surrounding the mill with the glare cast on them from the fire were as visible as if it had been broad daylight; and the windows of the mansions on the heights overlooking Cowper Wharf were brilliantly lit up. Indeed the display was one infinitely superior to all artificial illuminations. Great showers of sparks rose into the air and then fell thickly on to the roofs of the adjoining houses. They did no harm, as the roofs were being kept in a wet state by bucketsful of water thrown on them by the occupants. Late as was the hour, there was no lack of spectators. Within half an hour after the alarm had been given there were thousands of people crowded into the narrow streets which intersect this neighbourhood in all directions; and the fire was witnessed by thousands more from the high ground in the Outer Domain overlooking the baths.

Shortly before midnight the stable connected with the mill caught fire. The flames spread until, in spite of the efforts of the firemen, it was gutted. They were, however, prevented from destroying a timber shed, which was connected with the stable, and under the same roof. It was rumoured that the stable had contained three horses, which had just been removed in time to save them from being burnt. But it was luckily unoccupied. One stable had been occupied until Saturday morning, when the horse which had been stabled there suddenly died.

It will hardly be necessary to enter into a detailed description of the progress of the fire, which can be described in a few words. The roof fell in, together with the several floors of the buildings, within half an hour after the fire was first observed. The concentrated body of fire, after the roof and floors had fallen in, burned fiercely till about half-past 12 o'clock, after which time, owing to the continued streams of water poured on it, it gradually burned out. The wooden office extending from the mill towards Dowling-street had caught fire, but the flames were got under subjection by the firemen, who thereupon directed their efforts to save some other property. While they were so engaged, the office directly opposite to the Dowling-street Wharf Hotel again caught fire, and the pine of which it was composed burned so quickly that it was soon wholly consumed.

When the fire had been burned out, nothing was left of the large establishment but confused heaps of charcoal, above which were seen the iron portions of the machines that had been used therein, the large driving-wheel of the engine and the upper portion of the boiler. Fears were entertained at an early stage of the fire's progress that this boiler would explode; but they were dissipated when it was discovered that it contained no water—so that no steam could be generated by the vast heat outside. The brick chimney was expected to fall about midnight on Saturday; and the police kept clear a large space around, in the expectation that it might come down. Though it is cracked in places, and otherwise shows signs of weakness, the chimney still stands.

Owing to the careful supervision of several large detachments of the metropolitan police, under inspectors Read and Ryland, and sub-inspectors Waters, Anderson, Taylor, and Rawlinson, the mob, which seems to be inseparable from fires, was kept out of harm's way; while those who were busy at work were kept free from its intrusion. There was one slight accident to Mr. Robertson, one of the firm whose premises have been destroyed. He received intimation of the fire shortly after it broke out, and as he lived close by he was quickly on the spot. As soon as he arrived he set to work to remove to a place of safety all that could be secured. While so doing he was struck accidentally on the head by the end of a piece of timber, receiving a scalp wound, which we understand is not serious. So far as was ascertained, this was the sole injury sustained by any of those present.

The loss of Messrs. Seamer and Robertson will be a very serious one. They estimate it at from £3500 to £4000; on which there is no insurance. The stock of timber made up into window and door frames, partitions, &c., was very large; indeed, we are told there were fittings of this description to the value of considerably over £1000 already completed and in readiness to be sent to townships on the gold-fields and other country towns. They had completed one order alone to the extent of some hundreds of pounds in fittings—in the mill at the time of the fire—for a monastry in course of construction at Carcoar. Among the machinery in the mill at the time of the fire, nearly all of which is rendered next to useless, there were planing, tenoning, and moulding machines, vertical saw frames and turning lathes, &c., besides timber of all descriptions, including shingles and palings. Over a dozen of the men who had been employed in the mill have lost the whole of their sets of valuable tools, and one man was crying bitterly, as he saw the fire destroying the building in which he had left them a few hours before. There were employed in the mill between sixty and seventy men, all, or nearly all, of whom will be thrown out of employment. Their employers, who by industry and by attention to business had raised themselves from subordinate positions in the same establishment, have had, it *may* be said, a series of misfortunes during the last week. On Thursday last, the engine at another establishment of theirs, in Bathurst-street West, broke down, the consequence being that work had to be discontinued until the necessary repairs could be perfected. The buildings occupied by Messrs. Seamer and Robertson were the property of the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Office, in which office were insured the five houses in Duke-street, which were partially unroofed, and have otherwise suffered from water. The poor people who occupied them have had to betake themselves for the present to their back kitchens, and their loss—to them considerable—is not covered by insurance.

The ruins continued to smoulder yesterday in spite of a constant stream of water poured on them by the members of the Insurance Fire Brigade. Of the firemen generally it must be said that they worked with a will. They would, no doubt, have rendered still greater service if the supply of water at the mains had been larger. One piece of advice we would give them, and that is this—do not entrust your "branches," if you can possibly avoid it, to civilians of any class whatever, who do not know how to use them. We could not help observing a pretty piece of "wranging" between some citizens, who were ambitious to act for the nonce as firemen, while on one side a fire was spreading, and on the other houses were in danger of destruction.

THE INTERCOLONIAL EXHIBITION.

THIS grand representative collection of the industries of the colonies opens to-morrow, with appropriate ceremonies, which will comprise at least one feature distinct from the observances at the opening ceremonials of previous years. The feature we refer to is an Ode, composed expressly for the occasion by Professor Badham, and arranged to music by Mr. Charles Lascelles. Both words and music are said to be excellent; and the ode contains recitatives and choruses, which have been rehearsed with much success. Most of the tables in the interior already bear neatly arranged exhibits; and standing conspicuously above the other exhibits are numerous trophies, in the building and ornamentation of which much ingenuity has been displayed. Indeed, as on former occasions, trophies have been chosen for the reception of the staple commodities of the Australian colonies. The Fine Arts department will be very well represented; and even by noon on Saturday many of the pictures had already been affixed to their old positions on the walls in the galleries. Although the exhibits from Victoria are numerous and good, there is but little fear that the elder colony will be either inadequately or imperfectly represented outside the building. Saturday saw everything for the reception of the live exhibits in an agreeably forward state. Poultry had taken up their temporary abodes; and the prize cattle were being led to the stalls which they will have to occupy for a few days. That they are well-chosen representatives of the finest breeds, no one who saw them could doubt, and from seeing them one would certainly conclude that the quality of the cattle shown will not be at all behind that of the exhibits in the same sections at any previous exhibition of the society. As the exhibits in stock were not all in their stalls, it was but natural to conclude that owners had withheld them until the weather should clear up a little. Talking about the weather, it is to be hoped that sunshine will be in the ascendant during the time the Exhibition will remain open; otherwise, it is to be feared that the best devised arrangements of the committee of the society will bear other than a *couleur de rose* aspect, and that country visitors will regret in some measure the visits they have paid, or are about to pay, to the metropolis of the colony. After so much rain, however, it is not unreasonable to hope for a change which will gladden the hearts of exhibitors and visitors. The visitors from the country are already very numerous; and Monday and Tuesday will probably see some very large accessions to the population of the city, the "housing" accommodation of which appears to be capable of an almost indefinite extension.

All that patience, perseverance, and a firm determination to bring matters to a satisfactory end could do has been done. Up to a very late hour on Saturday night the Exhibition building and Prince Alfred Park were crowded with workmen. Stewards, exhibitors, and a motley group of volunteer assistants, pressed into service, managed to clear the indescribable chaos which pervaded the whole of the grounds. There are yet a few sluggish exhibitors who, as usual, take no heed of the trouble and annoyance they cause in delaying the delivery of their goods. An advertisement in this morning's issue calls upon them to be at the building before noon. Now that the interior of the building is getting into something like order, the general plan may be grasped at a glance. New South Wales occupies the whole of the eastern side, as well as the centre of the nave, our principal products being prominently placed—wool, shale, wine, sugars, &c., farm, dairy produce, and horticultural contributions intersecting each section break the monotony of the exhibits. Next to New South Wales, on the south-west side, Victoria holds her ground, and has a magnificent array of goods, showing a vast amount of taste, finish, and skill of manufacture. South Australia follows with grain, fruits, wines, wool, &c., &c., extending to the limit allotted to Western Australia, whose united minerals, leather, wine, and other products, will necessarily divert a good deal of attention to that colony, of which we have as yet known so little. Beyond this we come to New Caledonia, a most interesting and instructive show of sugars, coffee, tropical products, copper, and gold, together with some manufactured articles of some account, and exquisite timber for cabinet work, as well as samples of preserves, fruits, beche-de-mer, and other such articles of export. Ceylon has certainly outdone all the other colonies in quality, if not quantity, of exhibits. Mr. S. de Jayza Modlicu, the gentleman in Colombo who has undertaken the selection, has worked well, and to the purpose. The samples of coffee, spices, fibres, woods, fruits, oils, &c., &c., will meet with all due praise. Under the supervision of some of our leading Chinese merchants their country occupies a prominent place in this general gathering; the quaintness of the exhibits, and entirely Eastern fashion of this court will deservedly arrest the attention of visitors. Having now gone the round of Australia, and ere we again meet New South Wales productions, we come to our northern neighbour, Queensland. If we say that the court is under the management of Mr. Walter Hill, our readers will know that no further comments are needed.

The whole of the galleries are devoted to the Fine Arts, both of Victoria and New South Wales. There also the works of our schools in fancy goods are exhibited. The stewards in the Fine Arts section have selected "gems," which, as usual, have been most liberally lent to the Council of the Agricultural Society for the occasion.

Last, but not least, are two trophies of arms, one erected by the Sydney Volunteers, the other by the Naval Squadron. These are two marked features which are striking by the great taste displayed in their respective arrangement, as well as by their novelty. The daïs to receive his Excellency the Governor and suite closes the northern end of the room, and is guarded by two large white marble lions, mounted on high pedestals, which flank the broad stairs leading to the platform.

MURDER OF A CHINAMAN.—The Windeyer correspondent of the *Western Post* writes:—On Saturday, 12th instant, the coroner received information that a Chinaman, named Ah Gee, had been murdered, and he immediately directed Mr. Ramsay to proceed to Windeyer and make a post mortem examination of the body if necessary. He also directed Mr. Mulholland, J.P., to hold a magisterial investigation, as he was unable to leave town. The deceased had been removed from his hut to the police camp, and the weapons with which the murder had been committed were also there, and consisted of a butcher's ordinary chopper, a shovel, and a pick, all of which were sharp, and covered with blood and hair. The deceased was supposed to have had between £30 and £40. He had but recently returned from China, to where he returned from Windeyer about three years since, for the purpose of lecturing upon emigration to this country. He was well known and liked by both Europeans and Chinese. The supposed murderer was his mate, also a Chinaman, named Ah Hung, and their conflict appears to have been a desperate one. The fingers of the right hand were almost severed, and those of the left severely wounded. One incised wound, extending the length of the jaw, fractured the bone of the left side, and divided the large blood vessels and nerves in the neighbourhood. Several incised wounds were on the scalp, one of which appeared to have been inflicted with the shovel, as underneath it the occipital bone on the right side was fractured and depressed. A large penetrating wound, as if inflicted with a pick, existed in the right groin communicating with the cavity of the pelvis. The supposed murderer, who is well-known, has not been apprehended. The Chinese have turned out *en masse* in pursuit, so that the fellow has no chance of escape.

MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLE.

SATURDAY EVENING.

THE Customs' duties received to-day were as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Spirits	£318	8	6
Wine (still)	178	0	0
Tobacco and snuff	77	4	0
—— (unmanufactured)	154	13	0
Cigars	50	2	6
Tea	114	2	9
Coffee and chicory	42	0	0
Opium	46	0	0
Dried fruits	150	2	2
Ad valorem duty	285	12	0
Specific duty	307	16	5
Pilotage	30	0	0
Harbour dues...	14	3	6
Total	£1621	5	0

The Mendoza, from London, with a general cargo, valued at £25,700, arrived to-day.

The usual quarterly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will take place at 4 p.m. on Monday.

The *Argus* of Thursday reports of the Melbourne markets:—

In the import markets business to-day has not been marked by much activity. We note, however, a decidedly better demand, and every prospect of an improved trade is presented. Breadstuffs are moving off, but not with much freedom; the market is so very moderately supplied, much difficulty is experienced in getting hold of anything like parcels. Under the hammer, about 30 tons country flour found buyers this forenoon at £12 17s 6d to £13. Privately, trade parcels were quitted at £13 5s to £13 10s. Wheat is very salable at 5s 7d to 5s 8d for prime, while medium was placed publicly at 5s 5d to 5s 6d. Oats are wanted; about 500 bags were disposed of at 3s 9d to 4s for seed, and sales of feeding sorts are reported at 3s 6½d to 3s 8d. Maize is improving in value; privately, 3s 1½d has been obtained for 500 bags; and by auction, in the forenoon, sales were effected at 3s 1½d to 3s 2d. Bran has advanced; 6 00 bushels have been sold at 1s 1d. A strong inquiry is getting up for sugars, numerous trade parcels having been got rid of. About 1000 bags have been quitted at £35 10s to £36 10s for low yellow, to £38 and up to £40 for good to fine brewing crystals. Teas are also in better request, and there is every prospect of a good business being done. Sales of common congous in half-chests are mentioned at 1s 3d. Kerosene oil is asked for; a parcel of Ostral brand has been taken up at 1s 8½d. A shipment of about 130 tons salt, coarse and fine, has just changed hands on private terms. In liquids we learn of the quittance of the Eaton Hall's shipment of O'Brien's bottled stout, about 650 cases having been taken up at a price ranging from 11s 9d for common to 12s 3d for champagne bottles. We note a demand for Hennessy's case brandy; but the price offering, 26s, presents no inducement to holders to sell.

MINING.

RAPPS G. M. Co.—The mining manager reports, under date 17th April, as follows:—"The sinking of last week is 2½ feet; total depth of shaft, 385½ feet; the ground is hard yet. We got a leader in shaft ½-inch thick. The driving of last week is 3 feet; total length of drive, 43 feet; cut three leaders in driving, each ½-inch thick, but no gold. The driving is in slate yet."

General Bourke and Nuggetty G. M. Co.—The mining manager reports,—"We have driven 4 feet in the past fortnight, the reef having widened out to 15 inches, with an occasional speck of gold to be seen in the stone. The driving is pretty easy now, and we can expect a further improvement within the next few feet."

Crown of Old Reef G. M. Co.—Mining manager reports, April 15:—"Sank whim shaft six feet last fortnight, lode having widened six inches, carrying coarse gold and very good. The south drive is now 145 feet in length, and the general appearance of the reef has much improved of late. The southern portion (say 80 feet) will average over two feet—stone of fair quality; in the middle, for 25 feet, it is still narrow, but widening—average thickness, nine inches, the remaining 40 feet opening out to an average of 18 inches; good quality of stone. The quantity now raised being 115 tons; about 20 tons stripped, ready for breaking down and sending up. Contractor progressing favourably with new shaft, having sunk 66 feet and commenced to timber up, having the greater part of timber on the ground."

Southern Cobar Copper Co.—Manager reports receipt of the following report from the mine, dated April 7:—"The lode in Becker's shaft is 19 feet wide, and I think I have got both the eastern and western walls. I intend to drive towards Hardie's shaft, and will make arrangements for stoping, so as to get the ore away faster, but at present it is very hard to get out. Four miners are driving north in Hardie's shaft towards the 'big bunch' in Becker's shaft, to well ventilate the mine. I have let a small contract to cut a platt in Hardie's shaft, in order to sink the shaft another 60 feet, so as to get under the rich lode of ore again. Five tons were sent to Bourke last week, and there are from 35 to 40 tons of ore ready for cartage. I hope you have received the large block of ore, as there is plenty more of the same sort to take away when required. The large ground tank will be finished this week and will hold 82,500 gallons, thus increasing our storage capabilities to 183,000 gallons of water. Weather still very dry and rain much wanted."

Caledonian Amalgamated G. M. Co.: The mining manager reports as follows, under date April 10:—"The mine is improving every day. I am sending the main shaft down again, and expect to strike the lode in another 25 feet. I have two drives already connected with it, and have a large quantity of quartz in sight waiting to be broken down. No. 1 shaft is down 84 feet; the reef is only six inches wide, but looks well. No. 2 shaft is down 90 feet; and the reef, though small, is widening out. I have fully 450 tons of stone at grass. The machinery will be ready for work in about a fortnight, and I must say it will be a credit to all concerned."

Wheal-Edith Tin Co.—Manager reports that account sales of the company's ingot tin received by last mail realised £144 10s. per ton, being the highest sum paid for Australian tin.

The Tambaroora and Sydney Amalgamated G. M. Co.—The manager reports receipt of the following advice from the local director, dated 17th instant:—"Prospects of the mine satisfactory, stone is being raised which seems to promise to be payable."

Eisenstaedter's Royal Standard G. M. Co.—The following telegram from the mining manager this morning:—"Stone from bottom of lower drive north will yield 25 oz. per ton."

The manager of the Reform G. M. Co., Buckinbah, reports:—"The shaft is now at a depth of 40 feet, with a lode of about 2 feet 3 inches, with another lode coming into it from the west, which it is supposed will meet the other at about 6 feet, with a good show of yellow ore. The lode that we are now working yields some very fine samples of peacock, purple, yellow, and black ore, with every indication of increasing at a further depth. We have already raised about 2 tons specimens, of which I herewith forward you."

SYDNEY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

A MEETING of the Municipal Council of Sydney will be held at the Town Hall, York-street, on Tuesday, the 22nd instant, at half-past 10 o'clock forenoon, for considering the following notices of motion:—

By Alderman ,—That the report of the Finance Committee, received this day, recommending the payment of sundry accounts, be adopted.

By Alderman Linsley,—That the resolution of Council of 8th instant, ordering that the resolution of Council of date 23rd July, 1872, fixing the charge to parties consuming over one million of gallons of water annually, be made to apply in future to each and every meter upon the premises of such parties, whether such premises be contiguous or otherwise, be, and the same is hereby rescinded.

By Alderman Murphy,—That leave of absence be granted to Mr. Alderman Steel for two months.

By Alderman Goold,—That tenders be invited for leasing the allotment of land in George and Hay streets, under the conditions adopted by the Finance Committee on the 7th July, 1870.

By Alderman ,—That this Council do now proceed to consider the tenders for—1. Constructing sewer, Abercrombie-street. 2. Rebuilding culvert, Wattle-street. 3. Building store, Crown-street Reservoir. 4. Building shed, Market Wharf. 5. Removal of encroachment, &c., Castlereagh-street.

HOW GOSSIP INCREASES.—How gossip increases and grows till it gets into general scandal and is entirely different from the original story, is told by a letter-writer. He says that he was told that if he ever took a house in a terrace a little way out of town to be very careful that it was a centre one. For one must be very well aware that a story never loses by telling, and consequently if he lived in the middle of a row of houses, it was very clear that the tales which might be circulated to his prejudice would only have the distance to travel on either side of him, and therefore could only be half as bad by the time they got down to the bottom of the terrace as the tales that might be circulated of the wretched individual who had the misfortune to live at either end of it. As an illustration of this he was informed of a lamentable case that actually occurred a short time since. The servant of No. 1 told the servant of No. 2 that her master expected his old friends, the Bayleys, to pay him a visit shortly; and No. 2 told No. 3 that No. 1 expected to have the Bayleys in the house every day, and No. 3 told No. 4 that it was all up with No. 1, for they could not keep the bailiffs out. Whereupon No. 4 told No. 5 that the officers were after No. 1, and that it was as much as he could do to prevent himself being taken in execution, and that it was nearly killing his poor, dear wife; and so it went on increasing until it got to No. 32, who confidentially assured the last house, No. 33, that the Bow-street officers had taken up the gentleman who lived at No. 1 for killing his poor wife with arsenic, and that it was hoped and expected that he would be executed.—*English paper*.

OUR DEPENDENCE ON EACH OTHER.—We are emigrants crossing over the plain together. God mixed things in this world. We are trying to select and bring things together that they shall be just alike; but God keeps things mixed. All classes of people are thrown together. You cannot sift out the poor from the community. The rich may buy land and lay out streets and build houses and keep away from people that are low and not allow emigrants to come near them—in a little corner they can do it; but in some way or other an equivalent will come up. The poor are indispensable to the rich. The roots of the prosperity of the rich grow among common folks. The life of a tree is dependent upon its roots. If the bottom suffers, the top will suffer also. And so men are dependent upon each other. You cannot get out of your social connections in society. We are mixed up, good and bad, honest and dishonest, just and unjust, mean and honourable. Men plead that, in all the innumerable ways in which they are brought in contact with their fellow men, they are tired of men. Well, I am tired of men, too; and what do I do? Just what I do when I am tired of anything else. I go to sleep and become rested and refreshed, and then get up and go at it again.—*Beecher*.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

INTERCOLONIAL EXHIBITION.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

On WEDNESDAY, 23rd April, and on the three following days, a SPECIAL TRAIN will leave PARRAMATTA for SYDNEY at 10 o'clock a.m., calling at all the intermediate stations, by which tickets will be issued available for return by any of the ordinary trains on the day of issue only, at the following rates for the double journey:—

1st Class—single fares.
2nd „ 1d per mile.
Minimum charge, 1s.
JOHN RAE,
Commissioner for Railways.
Department of Public Works, Railway Branch,
Sydney, 18th April, 1873.

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BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

A BRANCH of this Bank is now OPENED at BRAIDWOOD.

SHEPHERD SMITH,
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Bank of New South Wales,
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A. STANGER LEATHES,
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17th January, 1873.

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CALLS ON SHARES.

PRINCE WILLIAM GOLD MINING COMPANY, Ironbarks.

The Fifth CALL of Two Pounds per share has been made, payable on or before THURSDAY, 1st May.

MULHOLLAND and WOOD,
Managers.
Moore's-chambers, 163, Pitt-street.

LOMBARD-STREET GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).

The Seventh CALL of One Shilling per share has been made by the Board, and is payable at the Company's Office, Moore's-chambers, 163, Pitt-street, on or before THURSDAY, 1st May.

MULHOLLAND and WOOD,
Managers.

EVENING STAR GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited), Wattle Flat.

The Seventh CALL of Twopence per share has been made by the Board, and is payable, on or before 1st May next, to the undersigned.

MULHOLLAND and WOOD,
Managers.
Moore's-chambers, 163, Pitt-street.

THE PICKWICK G. M. COMPANY (Limited), WHITE'S REEF, TAMBAROORA.
The First CALL of Threepence per share has been made, payable at the Company's Office, 6, King-street West, on or before THURSDAY, the 1st of May.

STEPHEN NUTTER, Manager.

BROWN'S CREEK GOLD MINING COMPANY. A CALL has been made of Two Shillings and Sixpence per share, payable at the office of the Company, No. 129, Pitt-street, on or before MONDAY, the 21st day of April instant.

By order of the Board.
G. A. RUSSELL,
Manager.
Sydney, 1st April, 1873.

NO. 1 LAC-MA-LAC G. M. COMPANY (Limited.) – Notice is hereby given, that the 7th CALL (2s per share) is due and payable at this office TO-DAY.
By order of the Board.
W. E. EBBLEWHITE, Manager.
Mort's-passage, George-street.

THE BELLE OF WATTLE FLAT G. M. CO. (Limited).
The Sixth CALL of Sixpence per share has been made, payable at 323, George-street, on or before THURSDAY, the 1st May, 1873.

THOMAS G. CROFT, Manager.
April 18, 1873.

THE KING GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited). —The Sixth CALL of Five Shillings and Tenpence per Share (being balance of uncalled capital) on all contributing shares, has been made, payable at the Company's office, 227, George-street, Sydney, on or before the 4th May proximo.

By order of the Board.
J. L. C. RANKEN,
Manager.

GOLDEN BAR G. M. COMPANY (Limited).— The 7th CALL of £1 per Share is due, and payable THIS DAY.
By order of the Board.
W. E. EBBLEWHITE, Manager.
Office—Mort's-passage, George-street.

CROWN PRINCE GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited), Chambers Creek.

The 7th CALL (2s per share) has been made, payable at the office of the Company, 267, George-street, Sydney, on or before the 3rd May proximo.

THOMAS HILES, Manager.
Sydney, April 18, 1873.

THE GREAT WILCANNIA AMALGAMATED COPPER MINING COMPANY (Limited).—The first CALL of Threepence per share, in terms of Deed of Settlement, has been made, payable on or before the 15th proximo, at the office of the Company, 143, Pitt-street, Sydney.

By order of the Board.
HENRY I. WEST, Legal Manager.
Sydney, 15th April, 1873.

CUMBERLAND GOLD MINING CO. (Limited.)
The 11th CALL of 1s per share has been made payable at the Office of the Company, 267, George-street, Sydney, on or before the 3rd May proximo.

THOMAS HILES, Manager.
Sydney, April 18, 1873.

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MUSIC. – OVERTURES FOR THE PIANOFORTE.—BARBER OF SEVILLE, 2s; Bohemian Girl, 2s; Caliph of Bagdad, 2s; Fra Diavolo, 2s; Gazza Ladra, 1s 9d; Guillaume Tell, 2s 6d; Italiana, 1s 9d; Masaniello, 2s; Oberon, 2s 6d; Semiramide, 2s 6d; Tancredi, 2s; Zampa, 2s. (Postage, 2d each.)
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MRS. WELSH'S SOOTHING POWDERS, by post. To be had only at 468, Elizabeth-street South.

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ELLIOTT, BROTHERS, Wholesale Agents,
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THE BLACK CURRANT BALSAM acts like a charm on all kinds of cough.
Prepared only by
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HENRY'S COLONIAL OINTMENT, in lid pots, 1s each. All chemists and storekeepers.

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COAL and WOOD DEPOT, Wholesale and Retail Terms, cash. P. J. ELLIOTT and CO., Woolloomooloo.

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400,000 FEET Foreign and Colonial Pine. ROLFE, Circular Quay

500,000 FEET Hardwood, Cedar Doors, Sashes. ROLFE, Circular Quay.

TO PAINTERS, BUILDERS, AND OTHERS.

The undersigned wish to clear off one of the largest Stocks of Paints, Oils, and Colours in the colony
FOR CASH.
The following will be the prices during the present month:—
RAW and BOILED OILS, by the gallon, 4s 6d
Ditto ditto, in 5-gallon drums, original packages, 4s 9d
NOTE.—These oils are from the celebrated house of Blundell, Spence, and Co., and Hubbuck, London; and David Storer and Sons, Glasgow, and require no recommendation.
TURPENTINE, by the gallon, 7s
WHITE LEAD, from 32s to 40s per cwt.
VARNISHES, from 13s to 30s per gallon
DRY COLOURS equally cheap
PAPERHANGINGS, from 4d to 15s per roll
PLATE GLASS, all sizes
SHEET GLASS, 16 oz., 21 oz., 26 oz., and 32 oz., all sizes
MILL-ROLLED, STAINED, and ORNAMENTAL GLASS, all sizes.
JOHN MURPHY and SON,
Oil and Colour Merchants,
21 and 23, Parramatta-street.

MARBLE CHIMNEYPIECES and Register Stoves, ex Ann Duthie, just landed. Crane & Son, New Pitt-st.

GALVANIZED Iron, Lead, Slates, Zinc, Wire Nails, Pottery, &c., &c. Crane and Son, City Cement Stores.

MARBLE Chimneypieces and Register Stoves, new designs, at reduced prices. W. Cary, Railway Bridge.

CEMENT, Plaster, slates, sheet lead, lead pipe, zinc, galvanized tubing and fittings. Cary, Railway Bridge.

LIME.—"Marble Lime from the Manning River Company appears ALL THAT CAN BE DESIRED, and every particle of which is available. J. S. NORRIS, William-street." Constant stock at Depot, 8, King-street.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

FOR SALE, a VELOCIPEDE, double-seated, a novelty. Apply M'CARTY and CO., Pitt-street.

GIBBON'S Horse and Carriage Depot, 64, Hunter-st. Horses and Vehicles bought, sold, exchanged, or hire.

WANTED, 2 heavy Cart Horses, and 16 young upstanding Saddle Horses. Gibson, 64, Hunter-st.

HORSE, Spring-cart, and Harness, £14; pair Buggy Horses, £20. GIBSON, 64, Hunter-street.

FIRST-CLASS DOGCART, £20; Newport-Pagnell Cart, £18. GIBSON.

BUGGIES! BUGGIES! WAGGONS! CARTS, &c.
The largest, cheapest, and best assortment in the colony, Buggies, £26; Waggons, £26; Spring-carts, £13, at
ROBERTSON'S
STEAM COACH and BUGGY MANUFACTORY,
Pitt-street, near Haymarket.
N.B.—Country visitors are invited to inspect the works.

WANTED, a steady HORSE; one accustomed to a bread cart. Hardie and Mitchell, George-st.

FOR SALE, several useful HORSES; also, a thoroughbred FILLY. 498, George-street.

FOR SALE, SPRING-CART (large size). Top of Jesmond-street, near Albion-street, Surry Hills.

BAY stylish buggy Horse, £20; grey Cob, good weight carrier, fast walker, £12. KNIGHT.

BROWN quiet buggy Horse, £12; handsome brown Hack, £15; six harness Horses, from £5. KNIGHT.

NEW double-seat buggy, £34; new Trey Buggy and Harness, £32; Spring Carts, £13. KNIGHT.

NEW Express Waggon, brake, pole and double Harness, £35; Phaeton, £35. KNIGHT, 257, Castlereagh-st.

NEW Buggy Sociable, £45; stylish new double-seat Buggy, £40; Harness of every description. Knight.

BUGGIES, new and second-hand, for SALE; Sociables, Waggons, &c. T. Moore, S. H. Road, op. Court-house.

FOR SALE, new Buggies, 4-wheel Express Waggon, with top, suitable for town or up-country use, new Cart, &c.; remarkably cheap for their quality.
WAINMAN and COOKE, near Tollbar, Paddington.

WANTED, a good HORSE, for buggy. Apply Hamburger, Brothers, 375, George-street.

BUSINESSES FOR SALE.

COUNTRY STORE.—The undersigned are prepared to negotiate with parties willing to purchase the BUSINESS of a country Storekeeper on a rising Goldfield. No opposition; well assorted stocks. Present business doing £6000 per annum; likely to be doubled in a few months. To a smart man understanding his business this offers a splendid chance of making money. Satisfactory reasons for present proprietor leaving. Principals only treated with.
ALLT and CO., Wine and Spirit Merchants, 143, Pitt-street.

HOUSES AND LAND FOR SALE.

FOR SALE, at BURWOOD, a handsome and well-built Family RESIDENCE, within ten minutes' walk of the Railway Station.

The House contains—on ground floor, 4 large rooms, and large pantry; on first floor, 3 bedrooms, and bath-room. The out-offices are kitchen and servants' room, coach-house and 2-stall stable.

The Grounds, ten acres in extent, are securely fenced, and are divided into three paddocks; fencing all in first-rate order.

The Garden has been laid out tastefully, and at considerable expense.

The whole property is most compact, and to a gentleman requiring a comfortable residence in a most healthy suburb, and at a convenient distance from Sydney, offers an opportunity seldom met with.

For further particulars apply to
ETTERSHANK, EAGLESTONE, and CO.
181, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, 100-acre FARM, partly cultivated, large dwelling, out-offices, plenty of good water, excellent road, easy distance from Sydney railway station, three miles. £500. W. DOUGLASS, 164, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, a COTTAGE and GARDEN, six acres of ground, situated at Burwood, adjoining the residence of the Rev. W. Lumsdaine. Inquire 369, Elizabeth-street South; or D. ALDERTON, Storekeeper, Burwood.

FOR SALE, LAND, on Campbell-hill Estate, in lots from 12 to 60 acres. Apply J. SCHIMEL, Wellington-street, Waterloo.

THE "NEST," Mossman's Bay.—For SALE, that delightfully situated cottage residence "The Nest," Mossman's Bay, with about 2¼ acres of land, including orchard and vegetable garden. Two minutes' walk from steamers' wharf. At present occupied by R. HARNETT, 324, George-street.

FOR SALE, 2 Allotments of LAND, Pawley's Estate. Apply R. LUSCOMBE, Grocer, Jamison-st., S. Hills.

STOCK AND STATIONS.

PURE-BRED LEICESTER SHEEP.— For private SALE, by the undersigned—
40 pure-bred Leicester ewes
1 pure-bred ditto ram.
G. F. WANT,
Pastoral Exchange,
273, George-street, Sydney.

TO CLOSE A PARTNERSHIP
SHEEP and CATTLE STATIONS,
lightly stocked, in
DARLING DOWNS DISTRICT.

FENWICK and SCOTT have received instructions to sell by private contract, to close a partnership,
That well and favourably known station,
BILLA BILLA,
in Darling Downs District, 120 miles from the Dalby railway terminus, with 7000 sheep; capabilities, 25,000 sheep in any season.
The improvements are of the best description, comprising comfortable homestead, large woolshed, washpool, with engine and machinery complete; 40 miles of fencing, &c.
Also, adjoining the above,
That celebrated cattle station, known as
GOODAR,
with 1500 head quiet well-bred cattle, all paddocked; ten miles of frontage to the Weir River, and five miles back on both sides, 32,000 acres of which are fenced, and have a never-failing supply of grass and water: capabilities, 5000 head in all seasons.
Full particulars on application to
FENWICK and SCOTT.

FOR SALE, 2500 Head of Store BULLOCKS, from 2½ to 7 years old, price £5 10s per head, delivered at Wagga Wagga or Bourke. Apply D. F. M'KAY, Darling Point.

AUCTION SALES.

2 Cases Fresh Herrings
29 ditto Assorted Sauces
13 Casks Powdered Whiting
20 Cases Worcestershire Sauce
14 ditto Patent Kippered Herrings.

LOUIS COHEN and CO. have been instructed by the Consignees to sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock,
Ex Damascus and Black Adder,
The above.

To close Accounts.

100 Casks Hall's Blasting Powder
20 Kegs Navy Green Paint
1 Bale New Zealand Twine
3 Bales Clothes-lines
33 Kegs White Lead
192 Bars Octagon and Square Steel
208 Bundles Hoop Iron
1 Bale Patent Flax Hose.

LOUIS COHEN and CO. have received instructions from the Consignees to sell by auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock,
Ex Somerset, Damascus, and Argonaut,
The above.
Terms at sale.

To Hatters, Storekeepers, and others.

LOUIS COHEN and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock,
Ex Argonaut,
2 cases hats and caps, assorted.
Terms at sale.

10 Cases Vestas, 250's
6 Cases French Vestas.

LOUIS COHEN and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
Terms at sale.

LOUIS COHEN and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock,
Several packages, consisting of
Oval teapots, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 pint
Coffee ditto, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 pint
Camp kettles, 1 to 10 quart
Round dishes, 8 to 16 inches
Oval dishes, 8 to 20 inches
Bush pots, quart pots, pint pots
Half-pint pots, galvanized tubs
Seamed buckets, cornshellers
Garden engine, chaffcutters
Sheepshears, &c.
Terms at sale.

Match Pair Dark Chesnuts.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
A well-matched pair of dark chesnuts, 15 hands 3 inches, 5 years old, thoroughly broken to harness, and run well together.

THOROUGHBRED YEARLINGS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Alexander Bowman, Esq., Oaklands, Singleton, to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 21st April, at 12 o'clock,
SIGNET, a grey colt, foaled November, 1871, by Kyogle, out of Sybil, by Vanguard out of Mimosa by Orion, out of Septima by Septimus (imported), g g dam by Bijou (imported Arab), g g g dam by Tess (imported), Orion by Cap-a-pie (imported), Kyogle by William Tell (imported) out of Cassandra, dam of Yattendon.
ATHOS, chesnut colt, foaled December, 1871, by Bulginbar, out of Atalanta by Lambuscat, out of Septima by Septimus (imported), dam by Bijou (imported Arab), g dam by Toss (imported), Lambuscat by Ackbar (imported Arab) out of Laura by Scratch, Bulginbar by Pitsford (imported), out of Banshee by Glaucus (imported Arab).

Thoroughbred Filly.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from J. M. M'Quade, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A bay filly, by "Livingstone" (imported), out of "Bessy Bedlam," by "Kyogle"—Bessy Bedlam, out of "Camel Bessy" (imported)—Camel Bessy, out of Luntle Bessy Bedlam, by Sir John (imported). Entered in the H. I. C. Mare's Produce Stakes.

MR. GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
A very large powerful weight-carrying bay horse, fresh from the country in fine condition.

First-class Hack.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. Patrick Coyle to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
A handsome bay gelding, a splendid hack, and good jumper.

THE SPY.

GEORGE KISS has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, the 21st, at 12 o'clock,
THE SPY, brown colt, 5 years old, by New Warrior out of Ida, own brother to the Pearl.
The Spy at Homebush ran the fastest two miles on record. Time, 3 minutes 35 seconds.

Thoroughbred Horse ELI.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from A. Allright, Esq., to sell by auction at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, 21st instant, at 12 o'clock,
That fashionably-bred horse, ELI, by Yelverton, out of Valetta imported. Valetta by Idle Boy, by Harkaway, out of Iola, by Sir Hercules; Yelverton by Gemi de Vergy out of Delightful, Venison by Partisan out of Fawn, Delightful by Defence out of a Tromp Mare, Gemi de Vergy, by Sir Hercules out of Snowdrop.

Thoroughbred Colt.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at 12 o'clock,
A bay colt, by Bylong, dam by Alderman, granddam by Waverley.

SALE OF THOROUGHBRED YEARLINGS
and
THOROUGHBRED HORSES.

GEORGE KISS will sell by AUCTION, THIS DAY, 21st instant,
at the BAZAAR, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, at 12 o'clock.
And
Carriage horses, hackneys, &c., &c., at 11 o'clock.

Thoroughbred Colt.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from James Readford, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, 21st instant, at 12 o'clock,
A THOROUGHBRED COLT by Kingston out of Idigondah, by little John, out of Jewess by Marquis, out of an Arab mare. Idigondah is own sister to Blue Bell, the dam of Blue Peter. This colt is engaged in the Hawkesbury Mares' Produce Stakes, and in the Randwick Mares' and Sires' Produce Stakes.

IMMENSE ATTRACTION!
THE SYDNEY HUNT CLUB
AUTUMN MEETING,
to be held at Randwick
on
SATURDAY, 26th April, 1873.
Patron:
His Excellency Sir Hercules Robinson, K.C.M.G., &c., &c.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from G. F. Want, Esq., hon. treasurer Hunt Club Races,
to sell by AUCTION,
at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets,
on TUESDAY, 22nd instant, at 11 o'clock,
GATES, BOOTHS, &c.,
for the Autumn Hunt Club Meeting.

☞ The auctioneer, in drawing the attention of intending speculators to the above advertisement, wishes to state that the Sydney Hunt Club Meeting is sure to be most attractive and the attendance large, not only from the programme of races set forth, but from the patronage it is sure to meet from all the influential inhabitants of New South Wales.

50 Head of Fresh Country Horses, broken and unbroken.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. Moon to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on TUESDAY, the 22nd April, at half-past 2 o'clock,
50 head of horses consisting of
20 HEAVY DRAUGHT COLTS
10 prime harness horses; 30 first-rate hacks—all in prime condition.
☞ The draught horses are by Waggoner and Drayman, and are really prime.

Thoroughbred Colt.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from George S. Hall, Esq., Junior, to sell by auction, on MONDAY, the 28th instant, at the Exhibition Grounds, Prince Alfred Park,
Merry Monarch, 3 years old, by Tarragon, dam the Cossack mare, g d Georgiana by Cap-a-pie, g g d Mr. Kater's imported Georgiana.

Merry Monarch's dam possesses more of the Cap-a-pie and Sir Hercules blood than any other mare in the colonies.

HAWKES and WRIGHT will sell by auction, at their Yards (late Martyn's), Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11.30,
Horses, vehicles, harness, and saddlery.

☞ Horses and Carriages of every description on HIRE at "The Stables," Bligh-street.

Fresh Horses.

HAWKES and WRIGHT will sell by auction, at their Yards, Pitt-street (late Martyn's), on TUESDAY, the 22nd instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
8 horses, broken to saddle
1 splendid cream-coloured buggy pony
1 pony, perfectly quiet in saddle (for children); also,
Saddlery, harness, vehicles, &c., &c.

Important Sale
of
THOROUGHBRED HORSES.

To Studmasters, Racing Men, and others.

H. W. BLOMFIELD is favoured with instructions from Mr. W. Winch, to offer for positive sale, without reserve, by public auction, at Hawkes and Wright's Yards, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, 21st April, at half-past 2 p.m., the whole of his well-known and celebrated racing stud of horses, saddles, bridles, clothing, &c.,
Comprising—

Lot 1. A CHESNUT FILLY, 3 years old, by Volunteer out of Corinne, by Cossack. (Untried.)
This filly is very handsome, of fashionable blood, and a beautiful goer. She was only broken in last February, and has never been tried.

Lot 2. Bay filly EMEUTE, 3 years old, by Panic, out of Miss Louey by Cossack.
This filly is of great power, with fine action; was broken in last December, and has been doing steady work.

Lot 3. Bay gelding PRETENDER, aged, by Australian, winner of many races.
This gelding has won nearly as many times as he has been beaten, and would make a fine hunter or welter horse.

Lot 4. Bay horse ENDEAVOUR, 5 years old, by Australian, winner of the Produce Stakes and other races at Randwick, 1871.
This horse was the winner of the Mares' Produce Stakes, Randwick, 1871, beating Florence, and in the Squatters' Stakes, same meeting beating Amethyst and a field of good horses.

Lot 5. Chesnut horse JULIAN AVENEL, 4 years old, by Ace of Clubs, imported, out of Mary Avenel, imported.
This horse combines the blood of Stockwell, Irish Birdcatcher (three strains), Sir Hercules, Whalebone, Knight of Avenel, Alice Hawthorn, Thormanby, Muley Muloch, Priam, and descends in three strains to Eclipse, which would render his services as a stud horse invaluable. He served a few mares in the district of Shoalhaven in 1871, and from two mares, the one by William Tell and the other by New Warrior, produced two of the most promising and powerful colt foals to be met with.

Lot 6. Brown horse LOUP GAROU, 3 years old, by Lord of Linne, imported, out of Hebe, by Magus, imported.
The deeds of this colt speak for themselves. He is of that fashionable blood from whence sprang the great stud of the late Mr. Blinkiron, combining as it does that of Touchstone, Pyrrhus the First, Venison, Defence, Whalebone, Sir Hercules, Eclipse, &c., &c., a strain so well adapted to the mares of these colonies.
H. W. BLOMFIELD,
434, George-street.

Thoroughbred Colt
BANAGHER.

H. W. BLOMFIELD is favoured with instructions from H. Smith, Esq., to sell by auction, at Hawkes and Wright's Yards, Pitt-street, on THIS DAY, the 21st April, immediately after Mr. W. Winch's lot,
Bay colt BANAGHER, 3 years old, by Kelpie, dam Banshee (the dam of Bulginbar); Banshee by Glaucus, imported; dam Rakish Kit by Old Emigrant; dam Stella by Peter Finn, imported; dam Spaewife, imported by the late Captain Lamb.

Hunters. Hunters.

H. W. BLOMFIELD will offer for sale, at the Exhibition Grounds,
A number of first-class hunters and weight-carriers.

H. W. BLOMFIELD has received instructions from J. J. Riley, Esq., to sell by auction, on the Exhibition Grounds, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd April,
2 pairs of the celebrated Glenmore ponies, thoroughly broken to all kinds of harness. Also,
1 splendid ram and 14 ewes (Southdowns), from imported stock.

Metropolitan Intercolonial Exhibition.
To Breeders of Stock and others.

SALE OF SHORT-HORN BULLS.

H. W. BLOMFIELD has received instructions from E. K. Cox, Esq., of Fern Hill, to sell by public auction, after the Exhibition,
The undermentioned pure Durham bulls:—
LOT 1.—White yearling bull, by Essendon, bred by R. M'Dougall, Esq.
D, Flora the 5th, by Master Athelstane
G d, Flora, by Northampton
G g d, Edith, bred by Circular Head Company from their English stock.
LOT 2.—Roan bull, eleven months old, by R. Lowe, Mudgee, Butterfly.
D, Beauty's Butterfly, by Royal Butterfly the 29th
G d, Beauty, by Middleham (16562)
G g d, Violet, by Wilbertree
G g g d, White Rose, by Gog (2063)
G g g g d, Countess (imported), by Son of Sir Charles.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from Messrs. Cobb and Co., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
200 prime fat cattle, in lots, the noted COP brand.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from John Hoskinson, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, Monday, the 21st instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
180 prime fat cattle, in lots.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from John M'Elhone, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at the Homebush Yards at 11 o'clock,
230 prime fat bullocks, in lots, from Loder's famous Merah station.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from John M'Elhone, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY the 21st instant at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
134 prime fat cattle, in lots, from Bullarova.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from Messrs. R. Towns and Co. to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock
1000 prime fat wethers, in lots, fully 60 lbs.

PURE BRED DEVON and HEREFORD CATTLE.

G. F. WANT has received instructions from Thomas Gibson, Esq., of Esk Vale, near Launceston, to sell by public auction, at Woolley's Yards, Pitt-street, opposite Tattersall's Hotel, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd April, at 11 o'clock, the undermentioned pure bred cattle—

DEVON BULLS.
YOUNG CONQUEROR, 4 years old, by Conqueror, dam Pet, by Statesman, &c., &c.
1 Yearling Bull, by Laurie; dam Nancy, by Statesman, &c.
RUPERT, pure bred Bull, 2 years old.
DEVON HEIFERS.
FIDELITY, by imported pure Devon bull Statesman, and in calf to Conqueror
FAIR MAID, ditto ditto, ditto ditto
KATE, ditto ditto, ditto ditto
CHARLOTTE, ditto ditto, ditto ditto
DEVON, ditto ditto, ditto ditto
EASY, ditto ditto, ditto ditto
DINAH, ditto ditto, ditto ditto
DUCHESS, in calf to Conqueror
MAUDE, ditto ditto.
HEREFORD BULLS.
ILUS, calved October, 1871, by Paris; dam, pure bred Hereford Cow, &c., &c.
YOUNG GARIBALDI, calved October, 1869, by Garibaldi (imported); dam, Beauty, &c., &c.
COMET, 4 years old, by Broadwater (imported); dam, pure bred Hereford Cow, &c., &c.
The PEDIGREE of the above stock can be inspected, and further information obtained from
G. F. WANT,
Pastoral Exchange,
273, George-street, Sydney.

G. F. WANT has the pleasure of announcing that he will hold his regular Sale of Pure-bred Cattle, at the Exhibition Grounds, when Stock from the following breeders will be offered, viz.—
Walter Lamb, Esq.
R. L. Jenkins, Esq.
J. C. Irving, Esq.
Messrs. Barnes and Smith.
Pastoral Exchange, 273, George-street, Sydney.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have received instructions from J. D. Macansh, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 21st of April, at 11 o'clock,
1602 prime fat wethers.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by A. Munro, Esq., to sell by auction, at the New Central Yards, Homebush, on THIS DAY, 21st April, at 11 o'clock,
1200 prime and weighty wethers.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by Messrs. Dangar, Brothers, to sell by auction, at the New Central Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 21st April, at 11 o'clock,
100 prime and weighty fat cattle.

Exhibition Beef.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by James Ramsay, Esq., to sell by auction, at the New Central Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 21st April, at 11 o'clock,
30 head prime fat bullocks.
The above are from his noted Nanima paddocks, selected expressly for Exhibition beef, and will average 1000 lbs.

Metropolitan, Intercolonial Exhibition.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed to sell by auction, at the Exhibition Grounds, Prince Alfred Park, on FRIDAY,
Prize cattle, on account of W. J. Dangar, Esq.
Prize cattle, on account of G. Osborn, Esq.
Prize cattle, on account of Henry Rotton, Esq.
Prize cattle, on account W. P. Faithfull, Esq., and others.

Devons, Herefords, and Durhams.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN will sell by auction, at Hawkes and Wright's Yards, on arrival of the City of Hobart, on or about the 26th April,
Pure-bred Durham bulls
Ditto Devon ditto
Ditto Hereford ditto
Ditto ditto heifers
And Leicester rams and ewes.

Hereford Cows and Heifers.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have received instructions from Thomas Gibson, Esq., to sell by auction, at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd of April, at 11 o'clock,
24 pure Hereford cows and heifers.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.

MR. W. FULLAGAR has received instructions from J. H. Rundle, Esq., to sell, at his Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, 21st April, at 11 o'clock,
206 head of really prime cattle.

Exhibition Stock for SALE during the Exhibition Week.

THOMAS DAWSON is instructed by James Kennedy, Esq., to sell by auction—time and place to be named in future advertisement,
200 pure-bred Lincoln ewes and rams, imported, from the flocks of Messrs. Chenery, Dawbin, and Austin.

From Alfred Cobcroft, Esq.,
80 South Down and merino rams.

From John Black, Esq., Muswellbrook,
14 pure-bred Angora goats.

To Breeders of Hereford and Durham Stock.

WOLFE and BADGERY have received instructions from George Loder, Esq., of Abbey Green, to sell by auction, at the Metropolitan Exhibition, Prince Alfred Park, Sydney,
6 pure Hereford bulls, by Reginald out of cows by Garibaldi. These are exceedingly choice, being the pick of the young stock at Abbey Green, and their being for bona fide sale, should be a great inducement for persons in want of really good cattle to attend the sale.
Also, the magnificent and pure short-horn,
"COLONEL SANKEY,"
bred by R. M'Dougall, Esq., Arundel, Victoria, calved August 26th, 1871. By Major Booth, dam Cleopatra, by Count of the Empire (229), g d Cowslip 9th by Royal Hope (187), g g dam Cowslip by Northampton (57), g g g Cowslip, bred by Mr. Manifold. The pedigree of this beast, combined with his very noble appearance, makes him one of the most attractive bulls ever offered in the colony.

AUCTION SALES.

Oaten Hay, Hobart Town Oaten Hay. A splendid Lot.
THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock.
100 small Bales.

GEORGE WELLS has received instructions from the consignee to sell by auction, on Roddam's Wharf, foot of Erskine-street,
The above, in lots. Terms, cash.

Fat Turkeys. Fat Turkeys.

ELLIS and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Depot, 763, George-street South, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
120 very fine fat turkeys, from Goulburn.

Labour Bazaar Auction Mart, Pitt-street.

Substantial Household Furniture and Effects, comprising H. H. Couches and Chairs; Loo, Telescope, and other Tables; Chiffonieres, Pier Glasses, Carpets, Bookcases, Chests of Drawers, Iron and Wood Bedsteads, Bedding, Toilet Glasses, Washstands and Sets, Cane and Wood Chairs, Stoves, Chaff-cutters, Mangles, Shop-fittings, Doors, Sashes, Spring-cart, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street,
The above.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

EXTENSIVE UNRESERVED SALE
of
MAGNIFICENT AND USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
At 139, Phillip-street.

On THURSDAY, April 24th.

By order of Captain S. S. AUSTIN, who is leaving the colony for Europe.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. have received instructions from Captain Austin to sell by public auction, on THURSDAY, April 24th, at 11 o'clock.
The above.
Full particulars in Tuesday's HERALD.
Catalogues ready on Tuesday, at 12 o'clock.

BUILDING MATERIALS.

THIS DAY, 21st instant, at 12 o'clock.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, at the building, Pitt-street, near Hunter-street, adjoining Mr. Vickery's premises, next Mr. Rodd's, solicitor,
Building material of old premises, consisting of stone, bricks, timber, flooring, doors, sashes, galvanized iron roofing, staircases, fire grates, mantlepieces, &c.

Unredeemed Pledges.

MESSRS. LISTER and GRISDALE will sell, THIS DAY, Monday, the 21st instant,
The unredeemed pledges, pawned with Mr. Crompton, 33, Crown-street, as, previously advertised.

THIS DAY, 21st April, at 11 o'clock.

At the Auction Mart, corner of Pitt and Park streets.

In the Insolvent Estate of — Woo Lung.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN has been instructed by the official assignee in the above estate to sell by auction,
A lot of unfinished work, timber, chests of drawers, safes, cedar boards, &c. Also,
Chest of drawers, tables, chairs, bedsteads, bedding, washstands, china, glass, crockery, ironmongery, cart hand barrow, jewellery, rolling-machine, grinding machine, &c.
Terms, cash.

In the Insolvent Estate of Edmund Hockey, Storekeeper, Solferino.

At the Auction Mart, corner of Pitt and Park streets.

TUESDAY, 22nd April, at 11 o'clock.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN has been instructed by the official assignee in the above estate, to sell by public auction, on TUESDAY, 22nd April, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of the stock of a general storekeeper, comprising—
Ironmongery, cutlery, fancy goods, crockery, drapery, boots and shoes, tweeds, coats, lines, concertinas, zinc buckets, axes, holloware, oilmen's stores, pickles, confectionery, rice, spades, shovels, picks, camp ovens, blocking machines, &c., &c.
Terms, cash.

TO SHIPBUILDERS, SHIPCHANDLERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.

For SALE, on ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, a portion of the Wreck of the "Polmaise," consisting of

Donkey Engine, condensing apparatus, &c.
Iron-strop Blocks, single, double, and treble
-inch Chains, Ship's Martingale, Winch
Vice, 1 Gin, 2 Grapnels, 1 Steam Gauge
Wire Standing Rigging, Ship's Hawsers, &c.
Iron Stays, 2 Iron Stanchions, 1 Pressure Gauge
Winch Barrel, together with wheel; 1 Patent Log
Chain Hooks, Shackles, &c.
Muntz Metal, Pintle Rod Metal, and Leaden Scuppers
Ship's Hawser, 2 Shovels, 2 Scrapers
Small Anchor, 1 large Anchor
Ship's Gratings, 1 coil Manila Rope, 1 cask Biscuits
bags damaged Flour, 1 large Hen Coop
Boat, "Star Queen;" 2 Boats, "Polmaise," 7 Oars
Studding-sail Booms, and 1 Mizen Boom
Yards, Gallantmast, Royal Mast, Spare Spar
Awning, Sails, &c., &c., &c.
Cable Chain.

MORT and CO. have been instructed by JAMES LAIDLEY, Esq., to sell by auction, at their Produce Stores, Circular Quay, on THIS DAY, 21st April, at half-past 11 o'clock sharp,
The ABOVE.
Also,
1 lot Muntz metal
1 patent force pump
2 pairs beam scales.

TERMS, CASH.

On MONDAY, 21st April, at 11 o'clock,

At the Australian Auction Rooms, Pitt-street.

Highly attractive Unreserved Sale by Auction
of
15 CASKS FINEST LIMOGES PORCELAIN,
comprising
Assortment of the VERY CHOICEST DINNER, BREAKFAST, and DESSERT SERVICES, TOILET SERVICES, VASES, FLOWERPOTS, CANDLESTICKS, &c., &c., &c.,
viz.:—
ERY HANDSOME DINNER SERVICES, pink and gold, blue and gold, morone and gold, green and gold, Crown and Imperial Patterns, in great variety
LEGANT DESSERT SERVICES for twelve or eighteen people, in regal pink, green, marone, Dresden, Imperial embossed Sevres, &c., &c.
ERY CHASTE BREAKFAST SERVICES, green and gold, purple, and other elegant designs
HOICE TOILET SERVICES, Fern Wreaths, Jessamine Wreaths, Antwerp blue, Rosebuds, &c., &c.
OUBLE DEJEUNER SERVICES, newest designs and patterns
variety of the MOST BEAUTIFUL and ELEGANT VASES, FLOWERPOTS, and ORNAMENTS
Chamber and Pillar Candlesticks, Spill Boxes, Commode Services, &c., &c.
Also,
INVOICE OF LIPSCOMBE'S PATENT FILTERS.

Under instructions from Messrs. Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.

To China Warehousemen, Gentlemen furnishing, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB are favoured with instructions from Messrs. Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, 21st April, at 11 o'clock,
Ex Somerset,
15 casks Limoges porcelain.
Terms at sale.

Intending purchasers are informed that the above will be on view This Day and Morning of Sale.

TIN ORE,
from several well-known Mines, including
MARYLAND RUBY
CHAMPION
ANCHOR
WHEAL EDITH
TINGHAH
OBAN
WHEAL ETHEL,
And private consignments.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd April, at half-past 10,
Valuable parcels of tin ore.
Terms, cash.
Intending purchasers are invited to take samples for assay prior to sale.

Preliminary Notice.

On WEDNESDAY, 23rd April, at 11 o'clock.

At the residence of the late Dr. TRENERY, of 160, Phillip-street.

THE WHOLE OF THE VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
BRILLIANT-TONED TRICHORD COTTAGE PIANOFORTE, by COLLARD
VALUABLE MICROSCOPE and SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS
HUMAN SKELETON
COSTLY COLLECTION OF MEDICAL WORKS, &c., &c., &c.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Medical Men, Booksellers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from the executrix of the late Dr. Trenery to sell by auction, at his residence, 160, Phillip-street, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd April, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of his valuable household furniture, instruments, books, and other effects.
Terms, cash.

TIN PLATES.

To Tinmen, Ironmongers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd April, at half-past 10 o'clock,
50 boxes IC charcoal tin plates
50 ditto IX ditto.
Terms at sale.

On WEDNESDAY, April 23, at 11 o'clock.

At the Stores of M. J. Clark and Co., Bathurst-street.

Important Unreserved Sale
by Auction of
THE ENTIRE STOCK-IN-TRADE OF
Groceries, Oilmen's Stores, Teas, Tobaccos, Paper Bags, Paper, Brooms
Horse, Cart, and Harness
Fireproof Safe, &c.
By order of the Trustees in the assigned estate of M. J. Clark and Co.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, Bathurst-street, on WEDNESDAY, April 23rd, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of the stock-in-trade of groceries, &c.
Terms, cash.

On FRIDAY, 25th April.
At the Australian Auction Rooms, Pitt-street.

Highly Important Unreserved Sale by Auction
of
70 CASES MAGNIFICENTLY UPHOLSTERED MODERN ENGLISH FURNITURE
PIER GLASSES, WALNUT TOILET GLASSES, HALL FURNITURE, CANE-SEATED CHAIRS, &c., &c., &c.

Just landing, in splendid order, ex Glendower.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Upholsterers, Cabinetmakers, Country Buyers, Brokers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th April.
Ex Glendower,
70 cases furniture, pier glasses, &c.
Terms, liberal at sale.

CONFECTIONERS' FLOUR.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, DAY, April 21, at 11 o'clock,
400 quarter-sacks "Golden Age" Californian flour, in lots to suit purchasers.
Terms at sale.

MACHINERY, PLANT, AND LEASE,
of the
BOORAK CONSOLS QUARTZ MINING CO.

For Positive Unreserved Sale.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, April 21, at 11 o'clock,
The lease, plant, and machinery, as follows:—
1 horizontal 16-horse power engine; 12½ inch cylinder, 2 ft. 6 inch stroke, with pumping gear; 1 Cornish flue boiler, 20 ft. x 6 ft., with iron funnel; 1 five-head revolving battery, 8-cwt. stamps, with shafting, framing, &c., for 10 heads; 1 8-inch surface pump, 1 amalgamating barrel; also, a large assortment of mining tools, stores, &c., and several spare shanks, heads, shoes, and false bottoms, necessitating only a trifling outlay to complete the battery of ten heads, as originally intended. The battery is fitted up with tables, copper plates, &c., on the most improved principles for gold saving. The whole of the plant is of the very best material, and made after the latest designs, under the supervision of the company's engineer.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms liberal.

Turps, Linseed Oil
Stockholm Tar, Pitch
Canvas, Woolpacks, Twine
Galvanized Piping.

By order of the Consignees.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, April 21, at 11 o'clock,
34 bales Swedish tar and pitch
8 bales woolpacks
1 ditto seaming twine
50 drums turps
28 ditto B. and R. linseed oil
20 bundles galvanized piping.
Full particulars at sale.

WHITE DAMAR VARNISH.

Ex Witch.
By order of the Consignees.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, April 21, at 11 o'clock,
2 cases, each containing 12 tins, each 1 gallon
2 ditto, ditto ditto 6 tins, ditto 2 gallons.
No reserve.
Terms, cash.

TIN ORE.
Now being assayed.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, 21st April, at 11 o'clock,
The following lots tin ore:—
CAMDEN TIN MINING CO.
BAAL GAMMON
PIONEER TIN MINING CO.
CRYSTAL PALACE TIN MINING CO.
VEGETABLE CREEK
And other well-known selections.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms, cash.

PORTLAND CEMENT.

Knight, Bevan, and Sturgis' brand.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, April 21, at 11 o'clock,
140 barrels Knight, Bevan, and Co.'s cement.
In lots to suit purchasers.
Terms at sale.

Gas Chandeliers, Piping, and Plumbers' Goods, assorted.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on FRIDAY, April 25, at 11 o'clock,
7 packages gas chandeliers, and
3 cases plumbers' goods, &c.,
4 bundles composition piping.
Full particulars at sale.

Chinaware.

Just landed ex Somerset,
By order of the Consignees.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on FRIDAY, April 25 at 11 o'clock,
12 casks W. and G. blue, figured, and enamelled colours breakfast cups and saucers, toilet services, plates, dishes, muffins, sugars, butters, milks, &c., &c.
Particulars at sale.

FINEST FRENCH CALFSKINS
LADIES' AND GENT.'S FRENCH BOOTS.
Just landed ex Glendower.
By order of the Consignees.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on FRIDAY, April 25th, at 11 o'clock,
K & K—10 packages gent.'s and ladies' superior French goods
S & D, 22-25—4 cases superior French calfskins.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms liberal.

MAURITIUS SUGARS.

The ENTIRE CARGO of the WILLIAM MANSON, from Port Louis.

For POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE, on WEDNESDAY, April 23.

The cargo embraces
SNOWDROPS
FINEST WHITE CRYSTALS
WHITE COUNTERS
BRIGHT AMBER CRYSTALS,
MEDIUM YELLOW COUNTERS,
and
The ONLY PARCEL of BROWN SUGARS now in the market.
8051 Packets
4649 Bags.

Under instructions from Messrs. JOHN FRAZER and CO.

⁂ The auctioneers are instructed to announce this Cargo for
POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE
by AUCTION. And EVERY BAG COMPRISED in the CARGO will be SOLD UNDER THE HAMMER to the HIGHEST BIDDER.

Sample Bags now open at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

Important to the Grocery and Squatting Trade of New South Wales, Exporters to New Zealand, Tasmania, and Victoria.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, April 23, at 11 o'clock,
The entire cargo of Mauritius sugars ex William Manson, comprising—
8051 small mats
4649 mats,
and embracing all qualities, from finest SNOWDROPS to MEDIUM COUNTERS and GOLDEN BROWN QUALITIES.
This cargo was specially selected for the requirements of the Sydney market, and comprises those qualities in YELLOW COUNTER and BROWN QUALITIES which are now UNOBTAINABLE in MAURITIUS.
Deliveries will be made immediately after the sale, and purchases can be taken in bond if required.
Terms, liberal.

GREAT QUARTERLY CLEARANCE SALE.

SHIPMENTS OF NEW GOODS JUST LANDED.
By order of Messrs. MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

THURSDAY, April 24th, at the City Mart.

This Extensive Clearance Sale embraces the entire shipments of
AMERICAN IRONMONGERY
DEVOE'S BRILLIANT KEROSENE
CAMERON'S TWIST TOBACCOS
DRIED APPLES
SARSAPARILLA, &c., &c.,
Landed ex Lady Bowen and Signal, from New York.

GROCERIES and OILSTORES
CORNSACKS, WOOLPACKS
DRIED FRUITS
CANDLES, COARSE and FINE SALT,
Landed ex Somerset, Glendower, and Damascus, and landing ex Ascalon, from London.

The Balance of the Cargo of
NEW SEASON'S CONGOU TEAS,
Ex Marie Louise, from Foo Chow; in chests, half-chests, and boxes.
CEYLON PLANTATION COFFEE.

MAURITIUS SUGARS,
Balance of the Cargo of the Noemi, embracing Finest Whites and Yellows.

Catalogues are now being prepared.
TERMS, UNUSUALLY LIBERAL.

Important to the Ironmongery and Grocery Trades of Sydney, and the great centres of inland commerce.

☞ The positive instructions to the auctioneers are to clear off every line without reserve, and the punctual attendance of all buyers is respectfully invited on MORNING OF SALE.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., to sell by auction, at the City Mart, on THURSDAY, April 24, at 11 o'clock prompt,
The following shipments of new goods:—
AMERICAN SHOVELS, SPADES, &c.
Ex Lady Bowen, from New York,
1 case Miller's D.H.R.P. shovels, each 10 dozen
2 ditto ditto ditto spades, ditto
2 ditto ditto L.H. ditto, ditto
2 ditto Saunders' unpolished L.H. spades, ditto
3 ditto ditto ditto D.H. ditto, ditto
2 ditto ditto ditto R.P. ditto, ditto
1 ditto Collins' 36 inch, D.H.C.S.R.Pt. shovels, 10 dozen
2 ditto ditto L.H. ditto, ditto
2 ditto ditto D.H.C.S. spades, ditto
1 ditto ditto L.H. ditto, ditto.
CORNSACKS AND WOOLPACKS.
13 bales, each 300 twilled striped cornsacks
18 ditto, each 50 10½ lb. woolpacks, 27 x 54.
4 bales bran bags.
Now landing ex Ascalon.
KEROSENE OIL.
Ex Signal, from New York.
MJ in oval over L B,
1000 cases, each 8 gallons, Devoe's brilliant oil, in patent cans, with cork-lined screw nozzles
1600 ditto, ditto ditto, with faucet nozzles and zinc handles.
TOBACCO.
Ex Signal, from New York.
10 half-tierces Cameron's negrohead tobacco, Triumph brand.
SARSAPARILLA.
Ex Signal, from New York.
MJ in diamond,
20 cases Townsend's sarsaparilla, each 1 dozen.
GROCERIES, OILSTORES, &c., &c.
Ex Ascalon, Glendower, Somerset, and Damascus.
20 cases 8 14-lb boxes Epps's cocoa, ¼ packets
100 ditto Colman's white starch, each 56 lbs.
100 ditto ditto blue starch, ditto
100 ditto ditto Windsor blue, each 28 lbs., ½-oz. thumbs
50 ditto Morton's 1-lb. tins jams and marmalade, assorted, each 6 dozen
20 ditto ditto half-pints assorted sauces, ditto
5 ditto ditto half-pints mushroom catsup, ditto
100 ditto ditto quarts table vinegar, each 3 dozen
68 ditto finest pearl sago
160 ditto Lea and Perrins' half-pints Worcester sauce, each 6 dozen
20 ditto ditto pints ditto, each 3 dozen
16 ditto 8 14-lb. jars tartaric acid
17 ditto ditto cream tartar
70 kegs bicarbonate soda, each 1 cwt.
10 cases Ehrensperger's light blue, each about 2 cwt, in 7 and 14 lb. boxes
20 barrels washed African ginger
47 ditto loaf sugar, small loaves
36 cases Colman's 1-lb. tins mustard, each 3 dozen
10 ditto ditto ½-lb. tins ditto, each 6 dozen
5 ditto Morton's vermicelli, each 16 7-lb. tins
23 ditto finest tapioca
10 ditto Whybrow's pints salad oil, each 4 dozen
33 ditto ditto half-pints ditto, each 6 dozen
45 ditto ditto square pint pickles, each 3 dozen
130 quarter-casks Hill and Evans's No. 24 vinegar
40 casks Barclay's pints stout, by Seroggie, each 8 dozen.
NEW FRUITS.
Now landing ex Ascalon.
190 boxes finest eleme raisins
20 bags Barcelona nuts
100 barrels currants
10 cases muscatel raisins
5 packages figs, containing 746 boxes,
20 cases Volkman's assorted candy peel, 7 lb. tins.
SALT—CANDLES.
Ex Ascalon,
S 500 sacks coarse Liverpool salt, in strong sacks
334 ditto fine ditto ditto
Also,
500 boxes Gustave Jansens 5-medal candles
CEYLON PLANTATION COFFEE.
28 barrels Nos. 1, 2, and pea berry.
NEW SEASON'S TEAS.
Balance of the cargo ex MARIA LOUISE, in chests halves, and boxes,
Samples of which are now open for liquoring.
MAURITIUS SUGARS.
Balance of the cargo ex NOEMI, consisting of finest whites and yellows.
Catalogues now being prepared.
Terms, liberal.

NOTE.—THURSDAY, April 24, at the City Mart.

Electroplated Goods, elegant designs
and
Fashionable Toilet, Dinner, Dessert, and Breakfast Services, Centre-pieces, and Ornaments, &c.
Guns, Fowling Pieces, &c.

Just landed ex Botanist.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, April 25th, at 11 o'clock,
3 cases superior electroplated goods, from one of the first English manufacturers
5 casks very fine china ware
6 casks tumblers, decanters, &c.
2 cases guns.
Particulars at sale.

First-class Yacht ERA.

24 tons, Coppered and Copper-fastened.

One of the finest in these waters.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 2nd May, at 11 o'clock,
The fine first-class yacht Era.
Modelled and framed by Inman, of Lymington (England), brought out in frame and launched in Sydney in 1860; constructed of oak and teak, with oak and pine planking; coppered and copper-fastened.
Her iron ballast is moulded to the timbers, part being galvanized; there is also upwards of 2 tons of lead ballast in small pigs for stowage when racing; and she is fitted with Holman's patent rudder.
Dimensions—length, 46 feet 6 inches; beam, 11 feet 2 inches; depth of hold, 6 feet; tonnage, 24 builder's measurement.
She is replete with every article in forecastle, pantry, main cabin, after cabin, &c., and has excellent inventory of racing and pleasure sails, stores, spars, signals, Trotman's patent anchors, chains, &c.; and is deserving a perusal. In fact the vessel has been taken the greatest care of, and is as good as the day she was built.
Full particulars at sale.

THIS DAY, 21st instant.

Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.
New Goods, just landed ex ARGONAUT, of the favourite make of Nathan Joseph.

To the Trade. Country Buyers, Shippers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured with instructions from the importers, Messrs. Scott, Henderson, and Co., to sell by auction, at his Rooms, No. 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australasia, on the 21st instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
The above.
Terms at sale.

MONDAY, 21st instant.

To Boot Manufacturers, Grinderymen, and others.
On account and at risk of the Consignee, ex Queen of the Age.
HILL and HARTRIDGE'S GRINDERY.

MR. M. MOLONY is instructed to sell by auction, in his Rooms, No. 239, George-street, THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at half-past 12 o'clock sharp,
An assorted invoice of grindery from the celebrated house of Hill and Hartridge, comprising bills, nuggets, tacks, rivets, tip and hob nails, York heels, boot powder, braces, cricket spikes, men's and women's cork socks, eyelets, ladies' military heels, elastic web and boot strapping.
Without reserve.
Terms at sale.

MONDAY, 21st instant.

Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.
On account and at the risk of the Shippers, with all faults; damaged by bad packing.

MR. M. MOLONY is instructed by the consignees to sell by auction, in his Rooms, THIS DAY, the 21st instant, at 11 o'clock, as above,
1-3—3 cases 2-5 kid E.S. boots
22—1 ditto men's ditto ditto
2165-7—3 ditto women's ditto ditto, fancy stitched.
With all faults.
No reserve.
Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

NEW WINTER DRAPERY
CLOTHING
STUFFS
HATS, CAPS, &c., &c.
Now landing ex Ann Duthie.

To Warehousemen, Drapers, and others.

On THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, 24th and 25th instant, at 11 a.m.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Sale Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, at 11 o'clock,
Seasonable goods in great variety.
Particulars on Wednesday.

Preliminary.

WEDNESDAY next, April 23.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on the above day,
47 packages new and seasonable drapery, ready-made clothing, hosiery, &c., &c., now landing ex Ascalon.
Full particulars in to-morrow's issue.

Ladies' French Lasting Boots
Best Elastic Web, 3 to 5 inches.

THURSDAY, April 24.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been instructed to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on THURSDAY next, at 11 o'clock prompt,
10 trunks ladies' best French boots, E.S.
2 cases elastic web, 3 to 5 inches.
2 trunks samples, from A. and J. Hart.
Also,
25 trunks boots and shoes, on a consignment account.
Full particulars in future issue.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd April.

IMPORTANT and VALUABLE SALE of CITY and SUBURBAN FREEHOLD PROPERTIES, by public auction, at Mort's Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 23rd April.

CHIPPENDALE, Chippendale-place.	Allotment of Land, close to Waterloo-place.
GOULBURN and CASTLEREAGH STREETS.	POMPEY'S PILLAR HOTEL, and two Dwelling-houses adjoining.
PITT-STREET, near Liverpool-street, close to St. Andrew's School.	Two Brick Houses, with house at rear.
CLARENCE-STREET, opposite Dixson's Tobacco Factory.	6 Valuable Allotments of Land, with the buildings thereon erected.
GEORGE and KENT STREETS, just behind Pratt's, chemist, ALBION-LANE.	Six 2-roomed Houses, situated in Albion-lane, built of brick and stone, with shingled roofs, and known as Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO.

POSITIVE SALE.

MARRICKVILLE, a short distance from GRAHAM'S Nursery.

Choice Family Residence, containing verandah and balcony on 3 sides, with hall, 11 rooms, bathroom, pantry, &c.; at rear are coachhouse, stable, &c., &c.; standing on 7 ACRES of land.

TITLE, unquestionable. TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at Mort's Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 30th April,
That really choice family residence, situated at MARRICKVILLE, near GRAHAM'S Nursery, built most substantially of brick, on stone foundation, with slated roof, containing verandah and balcony on 3 sides, hall, 11 rooms, bathroom, pantry, &c. At the rear are laundry, dairy, coach-house, stable, large barn, &c., &c.
The land, with large frontage to the Marrickville and Wardell Roads, contains an area of 7 acres, subdivided as follows:—4 acres laid down in grass paddock, 1 acre in lucerne, and the residue into shrubbery, flower and vegetable garden, and orchard planted with over 200 choice fruit trees.
☞ This is a most desirable suburban residence, and being in the market for positive sale, presents an opportunity seldom met with of securing a really substantial property at a small cost.
Plans at Mort's Rooms, Pitt-street. Cards to view can be obtained of the auctioneers.

POSITIVE SALE.

ALBION LANE, between GEORGE and KENT STREETS, just behind Pratt's Chemist's Shop, GEORGE-STREET.

6 two-roomed Houses, being Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9.
Title unquestionable. Terms at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 23rd APRIL,
Those 6 two-roomed houses, situate in ALBION-LANE, between GEORGE and KENT-STREETS, just behind Pratt's chemist's shop, GEORGE-STREET, built of brick and stone, with shingled roofs, and known as Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9.
☞ This is a snug freehold, in a central position, commanding constant tenancy, and is well worth the attention of any one on the look-out for a GOOD PAYING INVESTMENT.

CITY FREEHOLD.
GOULBURN AND CASTLEREAGH STREETS.

POMPEY'S PILLAR HOLTEL, and TWO DWELLING-HOUSES adjoining.

TITLE—Apply to James Norton, Esq., solicitor, Elizabeth-street.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd April,
That very valuable city freehold property, situate at the junction of GOULBURN and CASTLEREAGH STREETS, comprising those substantial and faithfully built properties,
POMPEY'S PILLAR HOTEL, and
2 DWELLING-HOUSES,
built of brick, cemented, on stone foundations, with slated roofs.
POMPEY'S PILLAR HOTEL contains—
BASEMENT—Large cellarage.
GROUND FLOOR—Bar, bar parlour, and dining-room, kitchen, pantry, and good yard.
FIRST FLOOR—4 good rooms.
The DWELLING-HOUSES are built of brick, cemented, on stone foundations, with slated roofs; each contains 4 rooms and kitchen, with convenient yard.
☞ This is a very substantial and thoroughly good city property; and the attention of those seeking a STERLING INVESTMENT is particularly directed to it.

PEREMPTORY SALE.

CLARENCE-STREET, opposite Dixson's Tobacco Factory.

6 Valuable Freehold Allotments, with frontages of 16 feet to 18 feet 8 inches, more or less, by depths of 72 feet to 104 feet, more or less, together with the buildings erected thereon.

TITLE—Apply to W. G. Pennington, Esq., solicitor, 130, Elizabeth-street.
TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd April,
Those 3 allotments, having each a frontage of 16 feet, more or less, to Clarence-street, by average depths of 73 feet, more or less; 2 allotments having each 16 feet, more or less, frontage to same street, by average depths of 100 feet, more or less; and 1 allotment having 18 feet 6 inches, more or less, frontage to same street, by a depth of 104 feet, more or less,—together with the buildings erected thereon.
☞ These are choice allotments, in an improving locality, and in the hands of an energetic man might, by the judicious expenditure of a small outlay, be rendered a really PAYABLE INVESTMENT.
Plan on view at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street.

POSITIVE SALE.

PITT-STREET, near LIVERPOOL-STREET, close to St. Andrew's School.
TWO BRICK HOUSES, with House at the rear.

TITLE—Apply to JOHN WILLIAMSON, Esq., Solicitor, Elizabeth-street.
TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 23rd APRIL,
That valuable freehold property, situate on the east side of PITT-STREET, near LIVERPOOL-STREET, close to St. Andrew's School, comprising a block of land having 30 feet, more or less, frontage to Pitt-street, by a depth of 80 feet, more or less, on which are erected, fronting Pitt-street, 2 HOUSES, built of brick on stone foundations, with shingled roofs, containing shop and 5 rooms; and house containing 4 rooms, also 2 outhouses at rear, and now yielding an ANNUAL RENT of £84 10s.
☞ This property is in the market for POSITIVE SALE, and is well worth attention.

By order of the Executors of the Will of the late THOMAS MAY, Esq.

1. DOMAIN LODGE, GOVERNMENT DOMAIN, PARRAMATTA,—a BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED RESIDENCE and improved GROUNDS, about one acre and a half in extent, overlooking the DOMAIN and GOVERNMENT HOUSE and GARDENS, and commanding from its fine elevated position a MAGNIFICENT EXTENSIVE VIEW (unequalled in the colonies) of the well-known PICTURESQUE SCENERY of the locality.
2. A CHOICE SITE, a few yards from the above, containing ONE ACRE, being Lot 5 of the old Parramatta Domain, and adjoining Mr. ALDERMAN GOOD'S Residence.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 25th APRIL,
At 11 o'clock,
The above delightfully situated properties in the TOWN of PARRAMATTA, within easy distance from the PARRAMATTA RAILWAY STATION.
DOMAIN LODGE is a comfortable cottage residence, most substantially built of brick and stone, with slate roof. The out-offices are extensive, and include stable and coach-house, laundry, bakehouse, &c., with never-failing supply of good water in all seasons. The grounds—1 acre 1 rood and 8 perches in extent—are tastefully arranged into flower and vegetable gardens, orangery, orchard, &c.
THE DETACHED SITE—a few hundred yards from Domain Lodge—contains an area of ONE ACRE, and will be sold with the lodge or separately, as may be desired. It contains an orchard of about 100 fruit-bearing trees.
☞ No one will question the extreme beauty of the position of these well-known properties on the Parramatta Heights.
The sites were picked selections at the Old Parramatta Domain sale. Surrounded by delightful scenery, they command views extending over the Park and the Parramatta River, including the whole of that lovely undulating country between Pennant Hills, Ryde, Kissing Point, and Hunter's Hill.

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE. Full particulars can be obtained on application to Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and BROWN, Solicitors.

By order of the Executors of the Will of the late Mr. PATRICK FARRELLY.

FARRELLY'S WHARF AND STORES, SYDNEY HARBOUR,
between Alger's and the Cosmopolitan (late Macnamara's) Wharfs.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 25th April,
at 11 o'clock,
The LEASE of the whole of FARRELLY'S WHARF, Sydney Harbour, together with the EXTENSIVE WAREHOUSES, STORES, &c., erected thereon, for a term of SEVEN YEARS from the first day of May next.
Plan of the wharf, conditions and terms of sale, also particulars of lease, are in preparation, and will be open for inspection at the Rooms.

PADDINGTON.
NEAT WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE, of 2 Rooms and Kitchen, in PROSPECT-PLACE, next to the corner of GIPPS-STREET, occupied by Mr. M'CLAREY.
The Land has 20 feet frontage, with a depth of 65½ feet extending to MARY-PLACE, at the rear.
By Order of the Mortgagee.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th April, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described small freehold property.
Terms at sale.

SUPERIOR CITY INVESTMENTS.

GEORGE-STREET,
adjoining the Bank of Australasia,

HUNTER-STREET,
near Macquarie-street and the Domain.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th APRIL, at 11 o'clock,
1.—GEORGE-STREET.
All that piece of land, having a frontage of 32½ FEET TO GEORGE-STREET, few feet north of the Bank of Australasia, and adjoining the old Bank premises, and extending back to Jamison-lane, at the rear, on which are those two shops and dwellings occupied by Messrs. D. Buist and Sons, at an ANNUAL RENTAL OF £208.
2.—HUNTER-STREET.
All that block of land, having a frontage of 59½ FEET TO HUNTER-STREET on the north side, between Phillip and Macquarie streets, on which are those THREE recently erected substantial DWELLING HOUSES, Nos. 92, 92½, and 94 Hunter-street; substantially built of brick and stone, with verandah and balconies in front, and containing each 7 rooms, 2 kitchens, bath-room, &c., with good yards well drained to the sewer, &c., at the rear. Water and gas laid on. ANNUAL RENTAL, £331.
TITLES, CERTIFICATES under TORRENS' ACT.
Terms at sale.

NEWTOWN.
COMMODIOUS FAMILY RESIDENCE, on the east side of the NEWTOWN ROAD, the FIRST HOUSE immediately beyond the TOLL-BAR.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th April, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT BLOCK of LAND, having 50 FEET frontage to the NEWTOWN ROAD, with a depth of 240 FEET, together with the SUBSTANTIALLY ERECTED and COMMODIOUS family residence thereon, containing, on the ground floor, verandahs back and front, hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, and out-offices, and 5 bedrooms over, with detached washhouse fitted with copper; well of good water, &c., at the rear.
A portion of the ground at the rear and side of the house is tastefully laid out as flower garden and shrubbery.
☞ This property occupies a good position in Newtown on the main road, and as it must be absolutely disposed of on the above date, the sale affords a capital opportunity for securing a COMMODIOUS FAMILY RESIDENCE, with a large BLOCK of LAND in this favourite suburb.
Cards to view may be obtained at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

CLARENCE-STREET.

OWEN'S GROCERY SHOP and COTTAGE adjoining, Nos. 93 and 95, Clarence-street, and three Cottages at the rear, between ERSKINE and MARGARET STREETS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th April, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT parcel of land having 42 FEET frontage to CLARENCE-STREET, with a depth of 72 FEET, upon which are erected the following premises:—
No. 93.—A TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, containing shop, 5 rooms, kitchen, cellars, and attic, &c.
No. 95.—A BRICK-BUILT Cottage, containing 4 rooms, and THREE SMALL COTTAGES at the rear, containing each 2 rooms.
The present tenants have occupied the premises for many years.
RENTAL, £2 4s per week, or £114 8s per annum.
☞ This property occupies a very valuable position in the centre of the business part of the CITY, and can be recommended as a good permanent city investment.
Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

UNRESERVED CLEARING SALE.
VALUABLE CITY PROPERTIES.

FRIDAY, 9th MAY.

1.—CITY FAMILY MANSION, DARLINGHURST.
KIRKETON HOUSE, together with the extensive improved grounds, having 210 FEET FRONTAGE TO THE DARLINGHURST ROAD, extending to the grounds attached to ROSEBANK, the residence of Captain Smith.

2.—PITT and PARK STREETS.
CHOICE CITY CORNER, adjoining the Congregational Church and School, having about 80 FEET FRONTAGE to PITT-STREET, together with the premises thereon, occupied by Messrs. Eastway and Son, and Mr. Cockburn. Net rental, £350 per annum.

3.—PITT-STREET, near Bathurst-street,
Having about 60 FEET FRONTAGE to PITT-STREET, a few feet south of Bathurst-street, adjoining Mr. Patten's marble works, and having a depth of 124 feet, on which are 3 Shops and Dwellings fronting Pitt-street, and three smaller Dwellings at the rear. Rental, £241 16s per annum.

4.—GEORGE-STREET NORTH and LITTLE ESSEX-STREET.
COMMODIOUS SHOP, DWELLING, and STORES, occupied by Chen Ateak, at the junction of the above streets; and SIX SMALL HOUSES at the rear, in Little Essex-street, occupying a piece of land having the following frontages:—46 FEET 4 INCHES to GEORGE-STREET, and 120 FEET to LITTLE ESSEX-STREET. Rental, £271 16s per annum.

5.—GEORGE-STREET NORTH, ARGYLE and GLOUCESTER STREETS.
LARGE BLOCK OF LAND, nearly one acre in extent, having frontage to George-street, together with the extensive stone premises thereon, opposite the road leading to the Queen's Wharf, Circular Quay, and extending back to Gloucester-street, at the rear of the Argyle stores. In one or two lots.

TITLE—TORRENS' ACT.

TERMS—One-third cash, residue may remain at 6 per cent.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the proprietor to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street,
FRIDAY, 9th May, at 11 o'clock.
The above choice city freeholds, further particulars of which will be given in a future advertisement, or may be obtained at the Rooms, Pitt-street.
☞ SPECIAL ATTENTION is directed to this important sale, the proprietor's instructions being to CLEAR UNRESERVEDLY THE WHOLE on the above date.
Plans at the Rooms.

CHOICE CATTLE STATION, NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT.

G. F. WANT has received instructions from Messrs. Fraser and Anderson to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, the Pastoral Exchange, 273, George-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 2nd May, 1873, at 11 o'clock,
THE BLAIR HILL STATION, situated in the New England district, and distant about ten miles from Glen Innes, together with a mixed herd of cattle, numbering about
2400 HEAD, more or less.
The country is splendidly grassed at all times, and abundantly watered by several creeks which have never been known to fail.
The cattle have been well and carefully bred, and are principally the progeny of Messrs. Reynolds', Wyndham's, and Loder's bulls.
The improvements consist of a commodious dwelling-house, detached kitchen, large barn, and stables, all of which are shingled; also stockyard, paddocks, and the usual etceteras necessary for efficiently working the station.
☞ To persons desirous of investing in a safe and compact run, the above station offers a favourable opportunity. The splendid climate of New England is too well known to need comment. The run is safe in all seasons, and the cattle are choice and well bred.
The owners are desirous that intending purchasers will inspect the above station, and judge for themselves.
☞ A nice draft of cattle is now ready for removal.
For further particulars apply to
G. F. WANT,
Pastoral Exchange,
273, George-street, Sydney.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

MAGNIFICENT SHEEP PROPERTIES
in the
LIVERPOOL PLAINS AND BLIGH DISTRICTS.

TO CLOSE A PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNT.

MORT and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. R. Campbell and J. and R. Orr to offer, at public auction, for bona fide sale, on THURSDAY, the 1st of MAY, at half-past 11 o'clock precisely,
The following REALLY FIRST-CLASS PASTORAL PROPERTIES:—
LOT 1.
NOMBY
GARRAWILLA
GORIAGILLA
YAMINGABAH
DANDRY
DENABOLI
in the LIVERPOOL PLAINS DISTRICT, with ONE HUNDRED AND FIVE THOUSAND (105,000) SHEEP (more or less), and seven hundred (700) head of mixed cattle (more or less).
LOT 2.
COORIANAWAH
BARADINE
BELAR
in the districts of BLIGH and LIVERPOOL PLAINS,
with FIFTY-FIVE THOUSAND SHEEP (55,000), more or less.
LOT 3.
ULAMAMBRI
and
ULABRIBLE,
in the BLIGH DISTRICT,
with fifteen thousand (15,000) sheep, more or less.
All the above REALLY FIRST-CLASS PROPERTIES being placed in the market for POSITIVE SALE, intending purchasers are particularly invited to inspect the country and stock.
MORT and CO. do not hesitate in saying that during the whole of their business experience, extending over a quarter of a century, they have never had the opportunity of submitting to public competition more desirable and lucrative pastoral investments than the above.
For further particulars apply to
MORT and CO.

FUNERALS

THE FRIENDS of Mr. RICHARD LOSEBY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Mrs. Sarah Connelly; to move from his residence, the Pack Horse Inn, Campbell-street, Haymarket, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, and proceed to the Catholic Cemetery, Petersham. C. KINSELA and SONS, Undertakers, George-st., opp. Christ Church; South Head Rd.; and Sussex-st. S.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. DANIEL GORMAN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased MOTHER, Mrs. Caroline Gorman; to move from her late residence, No. 22, Brougham-place, on TUESDAY MORNING, 22nd instant, at half-past 8 o'clock, to the Necropolis. THOMAS, Undertaker, 141, York-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM H. ROBEY are invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER Louisa; to move from his residence, St. John's Road, Forest Lodge, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery. C. KINSELA and SONS, George-street, opposite Christ Church, and South Head Rd.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. PATRICK M'AULIFFE are invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 691, Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hill, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at a quarter to 9 o'clock, to the Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, 118, South Head Road, and George-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. T. E. JONES are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased WIFE, Elizabeth; to move from his residence, No. 173, Castlereagh-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 3 o'clock, to Camperdown Cemetery. JAMES CURTIS, Undertakrr, 59, Hunter-street.

FUNERALS.—WILLIAM J. DIXON begs to inform his friends and the public that he has recommenced business as UNDERTAKER, on the premises occupied by his father (Thomas Dixon) for many years, and hopes by strict attention and moderate charges to merit a share of their patronage. Please note the address—WILLIAM J. DIXON, Undertaker, 21, South Head Road, near Hardy, Brothers.

AMUSEMENTS.

SCHOOL OF ARTS, SYDNEY.

EXHIBITION WEEK.

THIODON'S WONDERS
patronised by her Majesty the Queen and Royal Family, and nightly by the ELITE OF SYDNEY.
Open THIS EVENING with all the attractions of this
UNRIVALLED ENTERTAINMENT.
CHANGE OF PROGRAMME.
STREETS OF PLYMOUTH, AND
STREETS OF ROME.
And by particular request, for the last time,
THE FALLS OF NIAGARA,
with splendid mechanical effects.
BLONDIN crossing on the high rope,
the whole animated by thousands of mechanical figures.
VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC by
Mademoiselle THIODON, Pianiste and Vocalist.
Mr. E. LEWIS, Lecturer and Comic Vocalist.
Master THIODON.
Gog and Magog, the Crystal Palace Giants, the original HIGHLAND DWARFS.
Automaton SLACK ROPE VAULTER, a wonder of the 19th Century.
And thousands of other attractions.
Reserved seats, 3s; body of hall, 2s; gallery, 1s.
Children under 10, HALF-PRICE.
Doors open at half-past 7, commence at 8. Carriages at 10.
DAY PERFORMANCE, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, open at half-past 2, commence at 3.
Ticket office open daily from 10 till 1.
ASPINALL THIODON, Sole Proprietor.

ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE.

Stage Manager .... Mr. W. B. GILL.
THIS (Monday) NIGHT, April 21, 1873.
A Grand Double Bill for
THE BENEFIT OF
Mr. JAMES CARDEN.
TWO DRAMAS!
TWO DRAMAS
The New Realistic Drama
TIME AND THE HOUR
and the Hibernian Drama,
THE WHITEBOYS OF '98.
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THE WHITEBOYS OF '98.
Mr. JAMES CARDEN
in his great Personation of
"SIR PHILIP DEVERELL."
Appropriate Scenery by Mr. W. J. Wilson.
Mechanical effects by Mr. John Renno.

MR. JAMES CARDEN BEGS TO TENDER HIS THANKS FOR THE MANY MARKS OF APPROVAL TENDERED HIM BY THE PUBLIC OF SYDNEY, DURING HIS ENGAGEMENT OF NEARLY THREE MONTHS AT THE VICTORIA THEATRE, AND TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY OF THANKING THE MANAGEMENT OF THE VICTORIA THEATRE AND THE LADIES AND GENTLEMEN CONNECTED WITH THAT ESTABLISHMENT, FOR THE VERY ABLE AND COURTEOUS MANNER IN WHICH THEY HAVE ASSISTED HIM IN HIS ENDEAVOURS TO PLEASE.

LAST NIGHTS OF
THE POPULAR FAVOURITE
Mr. JAMES CARDEN.
Remember! MONDAY, April 21.
HIS FAREWELL BENEFIT.
TIME AND THE HOUR!
MAGNIFICENTLY APPOINTED!
and THE WHITEBOYS OF '98.
Prices as usual.
Seats may be secured at Messrs. ELVY and CO.'S where a plan of the house may be seen.
A photograph of Mr. JAMES CARDEN will be given to all holders of SECURED SEAT tickets.
Director .... Mr. JOHN BENNETT.

SPENCER'S ROYAL POLYTECHNIC

Just added
LIFE-SIZE WAX FIGURES!!
Grand Tableaux—The meeting between
Mr. H. M. STANLEY
and
Dr. LIVINGSTONE,
the great African Explorer, at Ujiji; 22 figures.

The ELECTRO-MAGNETIC BOAT, 6 feet 6 inches long, at work in water.

AUTOMATON SINGING BIRDS, Stereopticons, &c.
MECHANICAL and SCIENTIFIC WONDERS
GLASS BLOWING and SPINNING, from 11 till 4 daily.
PNEUMATIC PLATINA KINDLE ENGINE, &c., &c.

3 live CHAMELEONS from India.

Miss ALICE SPENCER, Miss CLARA SPENCER, and Master ARTHUR SPENCER, in Comic and Sentimental Songs, Duets, Dances, &c.,
Every NIGHT, in the NEW ROOM.
Admission, 1s; children under 10, half-price.

SYDNEY AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB.

Members are reminded that Entries for the two Handicap Events close THIS (Monday) NIGHT. Honorary Secretaries will be in attendance at the Oxford Hotel, 8 to 9.30 p.m. The whole of the Entries close on THURSDAY next.

By order of the Committee.

THE BURRANGONG TURF CLUB, YOUNG.
TO BE RUN FOR ABOUT 14 DAYS AFTER THE BATHURST ANNUAL RACES OF 1874.

The BURRANGONG TURF CLUB MAIDEN PLATE of 4 sovereigns each, with 100 sovereigns added, for all horses that have never won an advertised prize (excepting two-year-old stakes) exceeding the value of £15 at the time of nomination. Penalty for winning thereafter—once, 5 lbs.; twice or more, 7 lbs. extra. Second horse to receive 20 sovereigns from the prize. 1½ mile. Entrances open from date. Nominations to be addressed to the Hon. Secretary, Young, enclosing 2 sovereigns of the entrance money; balance of entrance money to be made good on night of general entry.

SYDNEY BEST,
Hon. Sec.

NOTICE.

The LADIES' COMMITTEE of the "FEMALE SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY" beg to announce that the FANCY DRESS BALL in aid of the Funds of that Institution will take place in the Masonic Hall, on WEDNESDAY, 7th May.

Evening Dress admitted.

MONSTER ATTRACTION.

For a short time only,
THREE EXHIBITIONS IN ONE.
THE GREAT ALLIGATOR MUSEUM.
BIG BEN AND FAMILY,
THE DARNLEY ISLAND MUMMY,
THE REAL SCOTCH DWARFS,
MECHANICAL WONDERS.
Splendid collection of Life Size Wax Figures, &c., &c., forming the largest and most varied combination of novelties and wonders ever presented to the public.
Mrs. GOURLAY'S,
EXHIBITION ROOMS.
Open from 10 a.m. till 10 p.m.
ADMISSION—ONE SHILLING.
CONCERTS at 8, SCOTCH DWARFS 9.30 EVERY EVENING.

AMATEUR OPERA PERFORMANCE.—The above is unavoidably POSTPONED to the 8th May.

CARL SCHMITT.

GRAND OPENING OF THE EXHIBITION OF 1873.
TUESDAY, and every EVENING during the Week,
Grand Vocal and Instrumental
PROMENADE CONCERT.
Conductor .... Mr. CHARLES LASCELLES.

PROGRAMME.
Grand Introductory Overture.............. Full Band.
Quartette and Chorus—"The Chough and Crow"..(Sir Henry Bishop).
Grand Descriptive Duet—"Love and War" ....(Cooke) Mr. Henry Ackland and Mr. Andrew Fairfax.
Quartette—"Sweet is the breath of morn"—Miss Wiseman, Miss Lambert, Messrs. Ackland and Egan.
Comic Duet—"Tell me, gentle stranger"—Miss E. A. Lambert and Mr. Andrew Fairfax.
Duet and Chorus—"Rub-a-dub," Grand Duchess—Offenbach—Miss Wiseman and Chorus.
Orchestral Selection .... Full Band.
Comic Duet, Scotch, "Duke of Athol's Courtship"—Miss E. A. Lambert and Mr. C. Lascelles.
Duet—"The Army and Navy"—Mr. Henry Ackland and Mr. Andrew Fairfax.

FINALE.
Grand ODE, written for the occasion
of the Opening of the Great Exhibition of 1873.
Words by Dr. BADHAM,
Music by CHARLES LASCELLES.
Misses Wiseman, Lambert, and Lee, Messrs. Ackland, Skinner, Fairfax, and Egan.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
Full Chorus and Band.
Director .... Mr. C. LASCELLES.
JOHN BENNETT, Manager.

GREAT EXHIBITION OF 1873.

NOTICE.—Full REHEARSAL of the Inaugural Ode, THIS EVENING, Monday, 8 o'clock, PRINCIPALS, CHORUS, and BAND.

CHARLES LASCELLES,
Musical Director.

REDFERN CHORAL SOCIETY.—Rehearsal, This Evening. Full attendance requested. J. Hanigan, h.sec.

THEATRE ROYAL,
YORK-STREET.

This ever-popular Hall of Novelties was crowded to the ceiling on Saturday Evening before half-past 8, and fully 6000 persons were refused admission during the evening.

THE MAMMOTH COMBINATION TROUPE.
JOHNNY COWAN,
JOHNNY COWAN.
THE SISTERS GREY,
THE SISTERS GREY,
JESSIE and RUTH.
ALICK O'BRIEN,
ALICK O'BRIEN,
ALICK O'BRIEN.
LOYAL and ZUILA,
LOYAL and ZUILA,
LOYAL and ZUILA.
LOUIS RICARDO and WILLIE,
LOUIS RICARDO and WILLIE,
LOUIS RICARDO and WILLIE.
MATHEWS, and MANDER,
MATHEWS, and MANDER.
ZULU and ZANGA,
ZULU and ZANGA.
ZULU, Empress of the Air.
ALF. MASSEY,
ALF. MASSEY,
ALF. MASSEY.
MATILDA LE PAGE,
MATILDA LE PAGE,
MATILDA LE PAGE.
MAT. RILEY.
MAT. RILEY.
SALLY LLOYD.
SALLY LLOYD.
SALLY LLOYD.
BILLY ROBSON.
BILLY ROBSON.
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ANNIE MILLNER.
ANNIE MILLNER.
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FRANK BROWN.
FRANK BROWN.
FRANK BROWN.
TOM BAKER.
TOM BAKER.
JAPANESE.
JAPANESE.
Miss ALICE SINCLAIR, Spanish Dancer,
will appear THIS EVENING.
Miss ELSIE MOFFATT
is engaged, and will appear on MONDAY next.

New Songs,	To-night.
Acrobats,	To-night.
Bars,	To-night.
Trapeze.	To-night.
Bicycle,	To-night.
New Dances,	To-night.
Fun,	To-night.
New Farces,	To-night.

MAT. RILEY'S BENEFIT, FRIDAY next, April 25.
Under the patronage of the Hibernian Society.
To LET, the THEATRE ROYAL, Newcastle, newly decorated, for a period of six or twelve nights.

SCANDINAVIAN HALL, Castlereagh-street.—Lessee and Manager .... Mr. W. T. Johnson.

ENGAGEMENT of Mr. C. WALLACE, Clog Dancer, Ethiopian Comedian and Concertina Soloist, who will make his FIRST APPEARANCE on MONDAY NIGHT, in a budget of comicalities. Come and judge for yourselves.

ENGAGEMENT of CHARLES O'BRIAN, Negro Delineator, and Song and Dance Performer, who will make his FIRST APPEARANCE on MONDAY NIGHT, in new Songs and Dances.

GEORGE TURNER, Sensational Comique, and Champion Falsetto Vocalist, in New Songs, TO-NIGHT.

MISS RILEY, the charming Lady Danseuse, in new Songs and Dances a la Zavistowski.

BILLY WEST, Champion Pedestal Dancer and Bone Soloist. COME AND SEE THE FIGHT—Sayers and Heenan.

Signor ALBERTINE and Mons. HANDLON, Champion Trapezians of the day, in new acts on the Double and Single Trapeze, Ladder in the Air, Roman Rings, &c.

MRS. RICE, the favourite Scotch Vocalist, who will warble her ballads nightly, "Auld Lang Syne," &c.

LOCKYER and BURGESS, in their chair first part, and funny eccentricities. Come and hear Johnny crow—the only game cock in Sydney—old but tough.

NOTICE.—Will Mr. Donnelly kindly appear here this night, Monday, in his colours, when Mr. Johnson will present him with a handsome SILVER CUP, for his excellent jockeyship in winning the A. J. C. Plate on Saturday.

ST. MARY'S CHRISTIAN DOCTRINE CONFRATERNITY.—Grand Annual TEA PARTY and CONCERT, TO-MORROW EVENING, in St. Mary's Seminary. Several of the most talented amateurs of Sydney will take part in the Concert. Admission: Adults, 2s; children, 1s 6d; tea at 7. J. Grogan, president.

BAZAAR. BAZAAR.—GRAND BAZAAR in aid of Convent and Schools of the SISTERS OF MERCY (St. Patrick's), in Masonic Hall, York-street.

The Hon. LADY ROBINSON has kindly promised to VISIT the BAZAAR THIS AFTERNOON.

EXHIBITION WEEK.

The BAZAAR will continue on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Open from 3 to 10 o'clock. Admission, 1s.

THE THREE Last Days of the Bazaar in aid of the Sisters of Mercy. Attractive display of choice articles.

VISITORS to Sydney, patronize the Bazaar. Best place to spend a pleasant evening. Admission, 1s.

ASSEMBLY ROOMS, 75, William-street.—QUADRILLE PARTY on THURSDAY next.

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS.—The Sons of Independence Lodge, No. 1173, will celebrate their Anniversary by a SUPPER, at Host Weller's, Waverley, at half-past 7 o'clock, THIS EVENING, April 21st.

DANCING.—Mrs. M'INNES'S Quadrille Assembly, TUESDAY EVENING. Colonnade, Elizabeth-st.

DANCING.—Mr. W. King's class for Pupils and Visitors, This Evening, New Oddfellows' Hall, Eliza.-st.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

HARMONIUMS, in oak and rosewood cases, 1 to 7 stops. D. BUIST and SON, 235, George-street.

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Now on view, from the principal LONDON and CONTINENTAL FACTORIES — PIANOFORTES by ERARD, PLEYEL, AUCHER, BORD, BROADWOOD, COLLARD, CHAPPELL, HOPKINSON, KIRKMAN, ALLISON, &c. HARMONIUMS, by ALEXANDRE. AMERICAN ORGANS, MILITARY and other MUSICAL Instruments, Music, &c., &c., &c.

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MR. WOODS, Pianoforte Tuner and Repairer. Pianos for SALE or HIRE. Victoria-st., Woolloomooloo.

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A CARD.—HOBSON and WHITING, Glovers, Hosiers, and Shirt Manufacturers, 13, Hunter-street.

A CARD.—French, Glove, Boot, Hosiery, and Mercery Depot. S. H. LEWIS, 10, Hunter-street.

ARTIFICIAL Teeth.—Mr. GUSTAVUS GABRIEL, Surgical and Mechanical Dentist, 20, Wynyard-sq.

ALL DENTAL OPERATIONS easily and cheaply done. C. EDWARDS, Surgeon-dentist, 6, Bridge-st.

ALL Dental Operations easily performed.—Mr. GUSTAVUS GABRIEL, Dentist, 20, Wynyard-square.

ASSAYING.—Mining speculators and others can have minerals tested accurately by the undersigned Practical Assayist.

W. TWEMLOW, 295, George-street, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN and AMERICAN FUR COMPANY have now on view their magnificent collection of South American FURS, surpassing anything seen in Australia. 307, George-street, near Hunter-street.

AUSTRALIAN and AMERICAN FUR COMPANY, George-street, near Hunter-street, have imported one of Stevenson's latest inventions for dressing furs. FURS dressed, cleaned, altered, re-made, superior style, equal new.

BUSHMAN'S CLUB, 264, Castlereagh-street, opposite Kiss's Horse Bazaar.

CORNS, Bunions, and Defective Nails CURED by Mr. ALEXANDER, Surgeon-chiropodist, 15, Hunter-st.

FURS DRESSED, Cleaned, preserved from moths. American Fur Company, 307, George-street.

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H. W. LOVEDAY, Pianoforte Tuner and Repairer, 383, George-street, Maddock's Library.

HENRY MOON, Auctioneer and Commission Agent, Bank Auction Rooms, 336, George-street.

JAMES TAYLOR, Comb Maker, 123, Bathurst-street. Tortoiseshell bought or made up.

LAW WRITING.—Briefs and Registration Copies, 1½d. per folio. G. H. Johnson, 76, Devonshire-st.

MR. J. J. LACHAUME, Surgeon-dentist, 2, Wynyard-square, opp. the Post Office, is in attendance.

MR. BURNE, Surgical and Mechanical Dentist, 33, Regent-street, Botany Road.

MR. J. SPENCER, Dentist, 8, Wynyard-square.—THE EXHIBITION PRIZE MEDAL was awarded to Mr. Spencer for Artificial Teeth. Painless extraction by aid of NITROUS OXIDE GAS.

MR. R. P. ABBOTT, Solicitor, 275, George-street, opposite Hunter-street, United Insurance Company's Offices.

NAVIGATION TAUGHT and Nautical Instruments repaired. T. T. Matthews, George and Bridge sts.

PIANOFORTES tuned, repaired, selected, and valued. Reports forwarded. W. KING, 70, Hunter-street.

SYDNEY PAPER COMPANY'S RAG STORE, Sussex-street, between Druitt and Market streets.—The highest price given for Linen and Cotton Rags, Rope, Canvas, Tailors' Cuttings, &c.

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TENDERS.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received on the 24th instant, for the Erection of a Villa Residence, in Victoria-street North, Darlinghurst.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Office of
THOMAS ROWE,
Architect,
Vickery's-chambers.

H. R. N. S. N. CO.—TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, will be received at the Sydney Office of this Company, until noon on MONDAY, the 21st current, from persons willing to supply

1. Shipchandlery, Oils, Paints, &c.
2. Stationery, Printing, Binding, &c.

For six or twelve months from the 1st May, 1876, in such quantities as may be required, according to specifications and conditions to be seen at the Office of the Company.

Security will be required for the due performance of the contracts.

The Company will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order of the Board.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices—foot of Market-street,
3rd April, 1873.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS required for the Erection of a Dwelling-house in Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst. Plans, &c., to be seen at the office of AMBROSE THORNLEY, Jun., Catherine-street, Glebe.

TENDERS are wanted to be sent in to the undersigned for the shingling and other repairs to be done to Rosedale House, near Liverpool.

W. LACKEY, Moore Bank.

TO BUILDERS.—EXTENSION OF TIME.—TENDERS for rebuilding two Shops and Dwellings, in Hunter-street, Newcastle, will be received until 4 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, 23rd instant. Plans and specification to be seen at 235, Pitt-street, Sydney.

A CAPITAL CHANCE for parties about to embark in HOTEL BUSINESS.

To be LET by tender for a term of 3 or 5 years, that well-known and old-established hotel known as
BARRY'S ROYAL HOTEL, in the
TOWN OF WELLINGTON.

The present proprietor, Mr. John Barry, is obliged to secede from public business through a sad domestic affliction of recent occurrence (the death of his wife), and now takes this course—having received several offers—as the fairest mode of placing the property before the public.

BARRY'S ROYAL HOTEL is well-known to the residents of Wellington and travellers along the road as the leading hotel in the town. It is the office and station of Cobb and Co.'s line of coaches, which run daily between Bathurst and Bourke.

Wellington is known to be a rising town, the centre of a splendid pastoral, agricultural, and mining district. The recent gold and copper discoveries have tended materially to increase the business of the town. As a proof of this, the erection of new stores, establishment of a bank, and the formation of a Jockey Club may be instanced.

THE BUILDING

is a large 2-storied brick one, with a corner frontage, surrounded by a large balcony and verandah. The lower floor contains a large bar, two large parlours, a large billiard room, with a table by Thurston and Hopkins (full size), and 3 bedrooms. The upper floor has two drawing-rooms and 9 bedrooms. The upper and lower floors are well and neatly furnished, the Hotel right throughout having all the requirements for a large trade. The Stock the successful tenderer can take at a valuation.

The Yard is a commodious one, containing kitchen, a stable for 16 horses, also one for 6 horses, used by Cobb and Co. A coach shed, and 5 loose boxes, the latter are in course of erection. A Garden of 2 acres is attached to the premises. The Lease will also include a Cottage, at present rented at 15s. per week.

To give time for inspection, the Tenders (sealed) will not be opened until the 12th May, 1873, to be addressed to CHARLES M'LOUGHLIN, Esq., Solicitor, Orange.

The business is at present carried on by the proprietor, Mr. Barry, who will be happy to give all information regarding the trade, &c.

With regard to the property, reference can be made in Sydney to Messrs. C. Newton and Co.; or Mr. Walter Hall, Cobb and Co.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WANTED, TENDERS, for sinking 2 tanks in rock. D. Mackay, builder, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

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£4000 CITY OF SYDNEY DEBENTURES, due 1883
£5000 Queensland Government 4 per cents.
for SALE by
J. MULLENS,
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WANTED, COMMERCIAL BANK SHARES.

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MERCANTILE LOAN & DISCOUNT COMPY.

98, Elizabeth-street, next Brigade Office.

The proprietors of this Company are prepared to offer advantages to persons in want of accommodation.

BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY.

SUMS OF £5 to £10,000 advanced on deposit of DEEDS, either Freehold or Leasehold, Bills of Lading, Bonded Certificates, Shares, Insurance Policies, or any other tangible security.

☞ GOOD TRADE BILLS discounted DAILY at slight ADVANCE on BANKING RATES. The utmost privacy can be assured, and all transactions held strictly confidential.

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MONEY advanced upon PERSONAL OR OTHER SECURITY, repayable by weekly, monthly, or quarterly instalments.

LOANS can be obtained for any period, and RENEWALS arranged for if required.

ALL TRANSACTIONS ENTERTAINED, and advances made without delay, if the security be approved of.

MONEY.
NATIONAL LOAN & DISCOUNT COMPANY.
Capital, £50,000. Offices—51, Hunter-street.

The Directors of this Company negotiate monetary and financial business of every description.

BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY.

SUMS of £10 to £10,000 can be obtained on PERSONAL OR OTHER SECURITY, repayable by weekly, monthly, or quarterly instalments.

LOANS can also be procured for any period, and renewals arranged for if required.

ADVANCES made upon personal security, mortgage, deposit of deeds (freehold or leasehold), bills of sale, merchandise, bonded certificates, stocks and shares, life assurance policies, or any other tangible security.

LEGACIES, BEQUESTS, and REVERSIONARY INTERESTS, either in the colonies, Great Britain, or elsewhere, purchased or advanced upon.

GOOD TRADE BILLS discounted at slight advance upon BANK RATES.

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NO BILLS RE-DISCOUNTED.

Every facility given to borrowers, and advances made within a few hours after application, if approved of.

Forms and all information can be obtained gratuitously at the Company's Offices. Hours, 9 to 5. Saturdays, 9 to 1.

EDGAR RAY, Manager.

MONEY. MONEY. MONEY.
LONDON LOAN and DISCOUNT SOCIETY, 126, Elizabeth-street South, next St. James' School. First established in Sydney.

THIS SOCIETY is established to assist tradesmen and others, on the following terms:—Money advanced in sums varying from £5 to £1000 on security of two responsible householders, to be repaid by weekly instalments of 1s in the pound. Persons desirous of obtaining £5 receive £4 10s cash. The advance guaranteed within twenty-four hours if the securities are approved of.

☞ ARRANGEMENTS can be made for MONTHLY or QUARTERLY payments.

BILLS OF SALE ON FURNITURE, without possession.

ADVANCES MADE upon mortgage, deposit of deeds, (freehold or leasehold), merchandise, bonded certificates, stock and shares, Assurance Policies, or any other tangible Security.

LEGACIES, bequests, and reversionary interests purchased or advanced upon.

Good TRADE BILLS discounted at SLIGHT advance upon BANK RATES.

Forms may be had gratis.

☞ No Bills Rediscounted.

PERPETUAL BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.

Money deposited with the Society will receive from 6 to 8 per cent. per annum, and on good security. Deposits can be drawn out on a month's notice, under the rules.

Applications for loans on mortage can be made to the Secretary on any day during office hours.

The loans are made for ten years, but can be paid off at any time, on notice under the rules.

The monthly payment is £1 4s 2d on each £100, including principal and interest.

The charges are £2 12s for deed, and £1 1s survey fee.

W. H. DELOITTE, Secretary.
3, Spring-street, 1st May, 1872.

SOUL AND SON,
Mineral Land Agents,
and
General Brokers,
221, Pitt-street, next door to Row's Drug Warehouse.
Shares and Stock bought and sold.

FOR SALE, Bank of New South Wales, Bank of New Zealand, City Bank, Wallsend Coal, Australasian Steam, Peak Downs Copper, and other SHARES. Also, N. S. W. Government Debentures.

CHATFIELD and MACKENZIE, 69, Pitt-street.

JEFFREE and GILLARDS, and Monte Christo, gold, for SALE. J. W. WATKIN, 143, Pitt-street.

PROFESSIONS, TRADES, ETC.

APPRENTICES, Improvers, and Tradesmen wanted. J. and W. Hodgson, whipmakers, 585, Brickfield-hill.

A FIRST-CLASS MILLINER and Saleswoman required for Brisbane. Apply to David Jones and Co.

A SHOP GIRL wanted for Confectionery business; personal reference. Rose Cottage, Upper Fort-st.

A GOOD SALESMAN required for Patent Solder Stall, Exhibition. Apply 75, King-street.

DRAPERS.—Wanted, a good DRESS-HAND. Kelk and Alford, 415, George-street.

IRONMONGER.—Wanted, JUNIOR, for the country. Apply to James Levick and Co., 9 to 10, Tuesday.

LAW.—Wanted, a GENTLEMAN of experience, thoroughly competent to undertake the general Management of an office. Address Fleta, HERALD Office.

MATTRESS-MAKER wanted. J. Newton, Furniture Warehouse, 83, Wynyard-sq., op. Post Office.

MASONS wanted. Apply W. H. Jennings, 71, Regent-street, Chippendale.

PAINTERS wanted, good BRUSH HANDS. Alexander Fraser, Paddington.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, two good Saleswomen; also, one good Hand. H. W. Webb, 253, Pitt-street.

TO MILLERS.—Wanted, good STONE-DRESSER. Hardie and Mitchell, George-street.

TAILORS wanted. J. Exton, 301, George-street.

TO TAILORS.—Good Coat Hands wanted; constant work, no waiting, highest wages. Farmer and Co.

TO TAILORS.—Good TROUSERS HANDS, wanted. Farmer and Co.

TO TAILORS.—Good HANDS wanted. R. Douglas, Hunter-street.

TO MANTLEMAKERS.—Wanted, several first-class HANDS. W. C. Renwick, 86, King-street.

TO DRESSMAKERS.—Wanted, first-class HANDS; also, Apprentices. W. C. Renwick, 86, King-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, good Coat and Trousers HANDS. Farmer and Co.

TAILORESSES, TROUSERS-HANDS; to work in or out; the highest prices given. 101, William-st.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, 1st-class TAILORESSES. High wages. Work given out. 217, Lower George-st.

TAILORESSES.—LEARNERS taken. Trade taught in all its branches. 217, Lower George-street.

TO POTTERS.—Wanted, 2 first-class THROWERS, for Pottery; best wages and permanent engagement. Reference required. Pickersgill and Co., 34, Collins-street West, Melbourne.

TO BUTCHERS.—Wanted, a SHOPMAN, for a Steady good place; also, an active Young MAN who would be generally useful in the business. To competent persons there is a good place open.

John Seard, 40, Erskine-street.

UNDERCLOTHING.—Wanted, HANDS for India Chemises. Mrs. Taylor, Harper & Co., 559, Geo.-st.

UNDERCLOTHING.—Wanted, good Hands for U. C. work. Mrs. Taylor, Harper and Co., 559, Geo.-st.

WANTED, a JOINER, good hand. J. White, opposite Congregational Church, Newtown Road.

WANTED, Coach Painter, 6 or 12 months engagement if required. Wainman and Cooke, Paddingtn.

WANTED, a good SALESWOMAN for the millinery. also an Apprentice. M'Crea, 628, George-st.

WANTED, two PLASTERERS. Apply at Roberts' Hotel, corner Geo. and Market sts., 8 o'clock sharp.

WANTED, a CARPENTER and a SLATER. 86, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo Bay.

WANTED, 2 CARPENTERS. Apply, 9 o'clock, at 134, Castlereagh-street, Old Club House.

WANTED, a JUNIOR CLICKER. Swyny, Brothers, 510, George-street, opposite Police Court.

WANTED, a MACHINIST, for Singer's. E. Arnold and Co., South Head Road.

WANTED, immediately, an EMBOSSER and Braider. Also Apprentices. 180, Devonshire-st.

WANTED, APPRENTICES to Plumbing and Gasfitting. Apply W. G. Robinson, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, an Improver and Apprentice to the Dressmaking. Apply 6, Argyle-place, Miller's Point.

WANTED, good TAILOR and TAILORESS, vest hand. Next Paragon Hotel, Circular Quay.

WANTED, an Assistant DRESSMAKER. Apply Mrs. Reed, 10, Crown Road, Miller's Point.

WANTED, a CABINETMAKER; also an upholsterer. T. Moore, Pitt-street, near School of Arts.

WANTED, a first-class FITTER, and BOY. S. Forster and Sons, Harrington-street.

WANTED, good General FITTER. R. Mitchell, 56, Parramatta-street.

WANTED, a smart Youth, as ASSISTANT in a store; one with some knowledge of drapery preferred. Apply to Christr. Newton, Brother, and Co.

WANTED, IMPROVERS and APPRENTICES to the Millinery and Dressmaking. Miss Mulcahy, 301, Pitt-street, 3 doors from Tattersall's, near Market-street.

WANTED, a COMPOSITOR, to act as Overseer, in a country newspaper office. None but a steady man need apply. One accustomed to jobbing preferred. For address apply to Messrs. Gordon and Gotch, Geo.-st.

WANTED, for schooner John S. Lane, an efficient CHIEF MATE; must have references of sobriety, &c. Apply on board, at 2 p.m. Also, COOK and STEWARD.

700 COATS, 500 Trousers, 500 Vests, to make.—TAILORESSES wanted; highest wages. Apprentices' work given out. Marsh, Clothing Factory, 18, Bridge-street.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

AN EDUCATED elderly Man, requiring employment with moderate pay, required. H. M., HERALD.

AS COACHMAN.—Wanted, a SITUATION; 5 years' reference. Glue's Labour Agency, Pitt-street.

AS NURSERY GOVERNESS.—Wanted, a SITUATION. Glue's Labour Agency, 176, Pitt-street.

A YOUNG MAN seeks EMPLOYMENT on a station, as Storekeeper, or Working Overseer; good knowledge of sheep. M. Y. L., Post Office.

CLERK.—Wanted, by a young Gentleman, a SITUATION as Confidential Clerk or otherwise. Well acquainted with Sydney. Open till Wednesday. Address A. H. D., HERALD Office.

PROTESTANT young Person wants Situation in the country, as nurse, assist in shop, &c. Home, HERALD.

SITUATION wanted as Storeman or Carter; experienced; references. Amos, Post-office, Waterloo.

TO DRAPERS.—An experienced Shop Walker is open to ENGAGEMENT. A. B., HERALD Office.

TO GRAZIERS and STATION OWNERS.

A Gentleman of many years' practical experience in the management of stock, sheep, and cattle is desirous of obtaining CHARGE of a compact property where improvement in breeding and development of finer qualities are objects. Highest references. Stock, HERALD Office.

WANTED, a SITUATION, as Working Housekeeper. Apply to Mrs. Capps, 92, Market-street.

SERVANTS WANTED.

WANTED, a strong BOY. Apply 70, York-street.

WANTED, a Lad, as STRIKER. C. Jenner, 49, Elizabeth-street North.

WANTED, an ERRAND BOY; must have references. 434, George-street.

WANTED, an Office BOY. R. Chadwick, Liverpool-street Saw Mills.

WANTED, a respectable BOY. 326, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a respectable LAD. 130, William-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD. Melbourne Boot Company, 568, George-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD, for Carpentering and Joiners work. Ancient Briton, Glebe Point Rd.

WANTED, a respectable LAD, to deliver meat. C. J. O'Hara, butcher, No. 38, Essex-street.

WANTED, an active YOUTH, for a country store. Apply to R. F., John Barlow's, Haymarket.

WANTED, BOYS, accustomed to Ruling Machine preferred. Apply John Sands, 392, George-street.

WANTED, BOY. Apply at J. Hever's Livery Stables, 156, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a LAD, to make himself useful. 461, Pitt-street, near Liverpool-street.

WANTED, a BOY. T. Forbes, 472, George-street.

WANTED, smart Man, for Dining Room, as WAITER. Flying Scud, 74, King-street.

WANTED, a respectable BOY. W. Shearsby, 334, George-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD. H. Butler, upholsterer corner of Park and Castlereagh streets.

WANTED, a useful GIRL, to assist in housework. Mrs. Saunders, London Chartered Bank, Jamison-st.

WANTED, a strong GIRL, to assist in the kitchen. Apply, with references, 10, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, a clean GIRL, about 14; wages, 4s. Mrs. Wheate, 76, King-street.

WANTED, useful GIRL, age 14. 30, Ann-street, opposite Kidd and Kelly's Mills, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a respectable young GIRL, used to children. 22, Erskine-st., next the Blue Bell Hotel.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, to mind a baby. Apply 359, Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, 14, for a small family. 135, Elizabeth-street, after 9.

WANTED, a tidy GIRL, not over 14 years old; sleep at home. 36, Yurong-street.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, about 15, to be generally useful. Apply 57, Prince-street.

WANTED, a NURSEGIRL. Mrs. M. Harris, Bismark House, Crown-street, Ultimo.

WANTED, good SERVANT, another kept. 130, William-street.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Apply with reference, to Mrs. Taylor, Sawmills, Balmain.

WANTED, a General SERVANT (Protestant), at 79, Stanley-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, a General SERVANT, in a small family. 437, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply, after 9, City Bank Hotel, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Mrs. Clinton, 43, Parramatta-street.

WANTED, a respectable Girl, as General SERVANT. 90, Elizabeth-street, near Hunter-street.

WANTED, a strong GIRL as General SERVANT. Miss Russell, 145, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, SERVANTS of all capacities. Mrs. Thompson (late Vipond), 10, South Head Road.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. 577, George-street, near Goulburn-street.

WANTED, competent General SERVANT. Mrs. Sadler, 1, Albemarle-ter., Wellington-st., Kingston.

WANTED, a respectable young Girl, as General SERVANT; principal washing given out. 66, Hunter-st.

WANTED, a middle-aged PERSON accustomed to housework. Apply Rose-lane, off Campbell-st.

WANTED, a respectable LAUNDRESS, to take washing on reasonable terms. Apply 66, Hunter-st.

WANTED, for Liverpool Plains, Cook and Laundress; 4 in family; £1 per week. 6, Bridge-street.

WANTED, competent Female COOK; reference required. Club House Hotel, Hunter-street.

WANTED, competent NURSE, for country, and 1 for suburbs; good wages. Miss Fowler.

WANTED, a respectable young Woman as NURSE. Apply Crooked Billet, George-street North.

WANTED, Cooks, Laundresses, Housemaids, Under Nurse, General Servants. Mrs. Glue's Office, Pitt-st.

WANTED, respectable WOMAN, to wash by the day. 546, George-street, opposite New Town Hall.

WANTED, a smart WAITRESS. Tambaroora Restaurant, 635, George-street, Haymarket.

WANTED, two WAITERS. No. 3, Bridge-street.

WANTED, a young MAN, to be generally useful. James Kelly, Emu Inn, George-street.

WANTED, SHOPMAN; also a Small Goods Man. Thomas Quinlan, 96, William-st., Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, a handy MAN, to make himself useful. G. Harman, 228, Lower George-street.

WANTED, a young MAN, used to the clothing business. Apply King and George streets. S. Marks.

WANTED, a respectable young MAN to make himself generally useful. Apply Café de Paris, King-st.

WANTED, a KITCHEN MAN; also, Assistant WAITER. American Restaurant, Wynyard-sq.

WANTED, six men for barrow and shovel work. Apply Mr. Moore, Botanical Gardens, this (Monday) morning, at 9.

WANTED, a first-class COOK and LAUNDRESS, for a small establishment. Apply to Mrs. Williams, Metropolitan Hotel. References required; a person with a lad 10 or 12 years not objected to.

WANTED, CAPTAIN and MATE for the schooner Annie Taylor, Campbell's Wharf (Queensland trade). Apply on board, 10 a.m. this day; reference of character and ability required.

WANTED, by a small family at Petersham, a young Girl, as General SERVANT. Wages, 6s per week. Apply 266, Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst, 4 doors west of Forbes-street.

WANTED, a Married Couple—man as cook, woman kitchenmaid; also Married Couple, for the Glebe—man gardener, woman cook and laundress; Married Couple as coachman and laundress; Youth as Groom; Gardener; Garden Labourer; also Female Servants in every capacity, for town and country. Glue's Labour Agency, 176, Pitt-street.

APARTMENTS BOARD & RESIDENCE.

APARTMENTS vacant. Mrs. Casper, 10, Phillip-street, near Hunter-street.

A BEDROOM to LET; two separate beds, for single gentlemen. 108, Elizabeth-street North.

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BOARD and RESIDENCE. Mrs. Elder's, 294 and 296, Castlereagh-street, near Park-street. Stabling.

PRIVATE BOARD and RESIDENCE, bath; moderate. 90, Elizabeth-street, near Hunter-street.

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TO LET, a furnished balcony ROOM, with fireplace, with or without board. Mrs. Lynde, 74, Yurong-st.

COACHHOUSE and STABLES wanted to rent in the locality of Phillip-street North. Apply by letter to Mr. Alfred Roberts, 45, Phillip-street.

WANTED, a Furnished Bedroom and Sitting Room, centrally situated. Address H., HERALD Office.

WANTED, large furnished ROOM, use kitchen, for lady and 3 children. T., Post Office.

WANTED to rent, furnished, a quiet Family HOTEL; state terms. K., Iredale, S. H. Road.

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